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The Morning Star.

OUTLINES.

Secretary Taft arrived at San Francisco yesterday and gave out an interview about political conditions in the Philippines; he says the educated young men want independence, and while conditions are improving, yet the Ladrones are still giving the troops and constabulary trouble——In a fire at Colon, Panama, the government records were lost—At New Orleans yesterday there were only 19 new cases of yellow fever but 5 deaths; there were 54 new cases in the country; at Pensacola, there were 6 new cases and two deaths——New Orleans is making preparations for President Roosevelt's visit, October 24th——Max Sulzberger, a Chicago packer, is to be a witness in the government case against Armour & Co.——The Surgeon General of the Japanese navy addressed the military surgeons of the United States at Detroit yesterday——The typhoon at Manila destroyed an army post containing four companies of troops——The insurance investigation in New York yesterday involved a big syndicate deal in Atlantic Coast Line Stock; it was shown that $626,096 was borrowed for the Equitable in the name of a clerk and that hundreds of thousand of dollars of the Society's money put in syndicate transactions have not been returned——At Chicago yesterday the government attorneys made a vigorous attack on the defense of Captain Oberlin M. Carter, charged with aiding the government of $2,500,000 in the river and harbor work at Savannah——The writ for the extradition of Gaynor and Greene will be signed by the Canadian officials to-day——David H. Murray, a well known citizen of Ware county, Ga., was assassinated Tuesday evening by some on who shot him while he was seated at the table eating supper——New York markets: Money on call firm at 4 to 4 1-2 per cent, closing bid 4 1-4, offered at 4 1-4; spot cotton quiet 10.90; flour dull, but firm; wheat, No. 2 red 89 7-8; corn steady, No. 2, 58 1-2; oats steady, mixed 32 1-2 to 33 1-2; turpentine firm at 67 1-2 to 68; rosin, firm, strained common to good, 3.80.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Department of Agriculture.
Weather Bureau,
Wilmington, N. C., Sept. 27, 1905.

Meterological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M., Wednesday, September 27th.

Temperature at 8 A. M., 61 degrees; 8 P. M., 66 degrees; Maximum, 77 degrees; Minimum, 55 degrees; mean, 66 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall since 1st of month to date, 2.25.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville at 8 A. M., Tuesday, 3.7 feet.

PORT ALMANAC—Sept. 28.

Sun Rises .....5:51 A. M.
Sun Sets .....5:49 P. M.
Day's Length .....12 hrs. 5 min.
High Water at Southport..7:34 P. M.
High Water at Wilmington..10:04 P. M.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina — Fair and warmer Thursday; Friday, increasing cloudiness; light variable winds.

After President Roosevelt completes his Southern trip he will always think that if he hadn't decided not to run again he might have broken the Solid South.

Caspar S. Yost is writing a series of articles on "The making of a successful husband." Caspar is wasting time. The ladies already know how to make a successful husband do whatever they want him to do.

President Roosevelt is busy on his message to Congress but if that aggregation pays no more attention to this message than it did to the last one, the President need not waste time and kill space with his forthcoming state paper.

Colonel Bryan long ago declared that a syndicate of big insurance companies had a great deal to do wtih his defeat for the Presidency. It seems that the policy of the insurance companies is to insure the defeat of every candidate that doesn't stand for their way of doing business.

Upon presumption that the board of control of the South Carolina State dispensary was corrupt, Senator Tillman demanded that Governor Heywood should fire all the functionaries of the board. Governor Heywood knew enough to give every man a hearing before he is condemned.

The Star copied from the Richmond Times-Dispatch a few days ago an article about the splendid wholesale trade of Richmond . A Wilmington dealer dropped in to get the address of some Richmond jobbers but failed to find any advertisement of the kind in the Times-Dispatch. It seem that our esteemed contemporary is doing a great deal for a branch of business that doesn't appreciate the value of a good advertising medium.

One thousand old newspapers for sale. Suitable for wrapping paper or for placing under carpets. tf**

Warranty Deeds for sale at the Star office. tf**

SUPERIOR COURT YESTERDAY

Criminal Assault Case Called This Morning—No Other Cases Called Grand Jury Bills in Felonies.

Yesterday was another day of comparative quiet in the Superior Court, no cases of importance having come up for trial during the day. This morning at 9:30 o'clock Thos. Gillespie, the Harnett township negro charged with criminal assault upon Lillie Nixon, a respectable colored girl of the same community, will go on trial for his life and a special venire of 100 has been summoned from which to select a jury. Wm. J. Bellamy, Esq., has been employed to defend the prisoner. A. J. Marshall, Esq., employed by relatives of the girl, will assist the solicitor with the prosecution.

As yet the grand jury has returned no bills in the two other cases for this term. When court adjoudned at 6:30 yesterday evening, it was in the midst of the trial of Lillie Blount, Lizzie Carroll, Mary Radcliff, Jno. Fossett and O. D. Harriss, denizens of an up-town alley, who are charged with a nuisance. Messrs. A. O. McEachern, Joe Price and other white residents in the neighborhood made the complaint several weeks ago and Constable Savage and posse raided the alley, arresting the defendants named. They are represented by Herbert McClammy and Brooke G. Empie, Esq., and only a short time will be required to complete the case this morning.

Court met at 9:30 A. M. yesterday and of the 50 talesmen ordered for the day, the sheriff retuned 24 as summoned and 26 as not found. The following were excused: W. R. Barksdale, Samuel A. Nichols, James Smith, W. J. Craig, C. D. Weeks, John A. Applewhite and Haywood F. Newkirk.

The following cases were disposed of: Alfred Hooper, assault with deadly weapon, four months in jail.

Eddie Flowers, assault with deadly weapon; verdict guilty; 60 days on roads or at work on farm.

Spencer Hart, convicted the day previous of simple assault; sentenced to 30 days in jail with leave to work on roads or county farm.

Frank Onslow, assault with deadly weapon; verdict not guilty.

Dock Suggs, charged in five cases with selling liquor on Sunday and without license, pleaded guilty in one case and was sentenced to 12 months in the county jail with leave to commissioners to work him on public roads or at the county farm; judgment suspended in other cases.

George Hill, carrying concealed weapons; submitted.

Bertha Williams, disorderly house; verdict guilty; $25 fine and costs or three months in jail with leave work on roads or on county farm.

Croker Williams, nuisance; verdict not guilty.

LOCAL DOTS.

—The schooner C. C. Lister arrived yesterday from New York with cargo of salt for the D. L. Gore Company.

—Messrs. Dickinson & Davis, insurance agents, have moved into their handsome new offices, on Princess street.

—Rev. J. S. Crowley, pastor of Immanuel Presbyterian church, will deliver a temperance address at Grace M. E. church to-night at 8:15 o'clock.

—Fayetteville Observer: "City Attorney D. J. Cashwell, of Hope Mills, was in the city to-day and informed an Observer reporter that two more cases of small-pox have developed at Hope Mills in the past two days, two young ladies."

—Rachel Roberts, colored, who celebrated her release from the higher court by getting drunk and down Tuesday night, was before the Mayor yesterday. She was given choice of 30 days on the county farm or leaving the city. She chose the latter course and was given until Saturday night.

—The following building permits have been applied for: J. M. Wolff, contractor, two one-story shingle roof dwellings, on Meares, between Second and Third streets, for Geo. A. Warren. C. H. Thomas, contractor, one-story shingle roof building for Sam. L. Smith, on James, between Taylor and Howard streets.

—Fayetteville Observer: "Mr. J. B. Tillinghast has selected as assistants to the chief marshal: Messrs. L. A. Williamson, Arthur Armfield and Jas. S. McNeill. There will be a conference to-night in regard to the marshal's parade and the tournament. A complete list of the marshals will be published later."

—Yesterday afternoon's Fayetteville Observer: "Policeman Benton, this afternoon, arrested Sidney McQueen, one of the most prominent negroes of Fayetteville, who does a large green grocery business in one of the market stalls under the city hall, on the charge of selling whiskey at his place of business. His stall was searched and four pints of whiskey were found. As we go to press the officers are searching his residence. McQueen was taken before the Mayor and gave a $200 bond for his appearance to-morrow morning for trial."

The Pestiferous Sling Shot.

In response to frequent complaints from residents in the eastern section of the city that window lights were being broken out of their houses and that people were actually in danger of the sling shot and small boy in unholy combination, the police yesterday began a systematic campaign looking to a suppression of that evil. As the result five youthful defendants, both white and colored, ranging in age from six to twelve years, were sent down to the police station during the afternoon and will have a seance with the Mayor at noon to-day. One of the young offenders was before the Mayor yesterday, but was dismissed on condition that his mother whip him good.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Geo. O. Gaylord—Ladies' Shirts.
W. B. Cooper—Hold Your Cotton.
Adolph G. Ahrens—Quality Drugs.

Business Locals.

Milliner—Workers Wanted.
Rothschilds & Co.—Boxes Wanted.

TROLLEY CAR WRECK

Special with Excursion of Haymakers Derailed at Ninth and Princess Streets

CONDUCTOR REESE INJURED

Had Just Changed Switch and Was Struck By Car as it Swung Around —Passengers Slightly Injured —Other Notes.

Suburban Car No. 35, of the C. R., L. & P. Co., aboard which were seventy-odd members of the Haymakers on an excursion trip to the sound, was wrecked early last night at Ninth and Princess streets, by splitting the switch where the suburban tracks join the city line on that corner. The front trucks of the car took the suburban track clear, but the rear wheels in passing the switch, followed the curve of the city line at that point and caused a derailment, twisting the car and swinging it into the front of city car No. 22, which was standing on the curve waiting for the suburban to pass. All the passengers on the car were badly shaken up and some of them were slightly injured but none, it is believed, was seriously hurt. Conductor W. G. Reese, of the city car had just changed the switch for the suburban car to pass and was standing by when the rear of the car was suddenly swung in because of the split. The steps of the car struck him on the legs, breaking the left one just above the knee. He was found a few minutes after the wreck, lying on his back across the curbing of the sidewalk on the south side of the street. As quickly as possible the ambulance was called and the injured conductor was sent to the hospital.

The "Haymakers' Special," or No. 35, left Front and Princess streets as a second section of the regular 8:30 car. It was in charge of Motorman Ben Horne, one of the most careful men in the employ of the company. The car was crowded to the platform with the jolly Haymakers, cheering in anticipation of the pleasures of the trip. The regular car reached Ninth and Princess and passed over the switch without difficulty. The front trucks of No. 35 also passed over clear, but the rear trucks followed the curve of the city line as far as possible and then jumped over the rails, running crossways of the street for six or eight feet. As the rear of the car swung in on the city line, it crashed into the front of the city car, smashing the fender and headlight and breaking in the vestibule of the smaller car. It was knocked back for some distance but none of the few passengers on it was hurt.

Among the passengers on the suburban car injured were Messrs. Ben Crumpler, E. H. Shipp, Robert Rowan, Raymond Hunt and George Mote. Mr. Hunt had his arm badly skinned. Mr. Mote at first thought his injuries were of no consequence, but he had to be sent home upon his return from the sound under the care of a physician. Several others received scratches and bruises, but were able to continue their trip to the sound on another car which was furnished as soon as possible by Chief Conductor John Sheehan, who was aboard No. 35 when it was wrecked.

The wreck blocked the Princess street line for the remainder of the night to both city and suburban traffic. The car was not damaged except for a disarrangement of the rear trucks and the smashing of a window light in the rear.

Conductor Reese had only a simple fracture of the leg and had only a few scratches and bruises otherwise. He came here last March from Watauga county and boarded at No. 105 North Seventh street. He is a splendid man and the unusual manner in which he was injured, as he was trying to facilitate travel for the company is much regretted by many of his friends.

NEST OF RAILROADS THIEVES.

Freight Handlers of Coast Line Arrested in Fayetteville.

Yesterday afternoon's Fayetteville Observer has the following:

"There are stirring times in the sheriff's office this afternoon. Detective Scarborough of the Atlantic Coast Line has been at work all day on what he suspected was a case of wholesale robbery of A. C. L. freight, and at 3 o'clock this afternoon he and the sheriff's deputies arrested Charles Snipes and Lonnie Brown, two freight handlers of the A. C. L., and are now out with warrants for six more of them and will bag most of them before night. The two arrested had hats, clothing, shoes, tobacco, whiskey, meat, and other articles in their possesison when taken into custody, which it is alleged was stolen from the A. C. L.

"Quantities of freight consigned to Fayetteville and other points have been stolen lately, and the authorities say they have at last discovered the robbers in the freight handlers of the road—a veritable nest of them."

Explosion at Compress.

A loud explosion at the Champion Compress about 9:30 o'clock yesterday morning gave momentary alarm to those in the neighborhood of the plant. A muffler placed on one of the big exhaust pipes to one of the presses blew off, smashing a whistle adjoining and knocking down a portion of fire wall adjoining, but otherwise there was no damage. A score of negro laborers were badly frightened and ran out, but they were soon reassured and returned to work.

"Red," the Bill Poster, Dead.

Charles Walker, a well known bill poster of the city, for many years employed by Mr. S. A. Schloss and familiarly known to the street as "Red," died yesterday afternoon at the James Walker Memorial Hospital, where he had been for some days for treatment for kidney trouble. The arrangements for the funeral will be made to-day.

CAR DASHED INTO CART.

White Driver Suffered Fracture of Leg in Accident on Front Street.

A little after 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon a slop cart belonging to the widow of the late John Roderick was dashed into at Front and Church streets by city street car No. 25, in charge of Motorman Wise and Conductor Lynch. J. K. Jones, a middle-aged white man driving the cart, which was demolished, was thrown out and severely injured. His left leg was broken near the hip and he received bruises and contusions on other parts of his body. The horse attached to the cart was bruised up to some extent, but no bones were broken. Dr. C. T. Harper was summoned to attend the injured man, who was sent to the hospital.

The car was running backward at the time. It was northbound, but after passing the regular car on the turnout, near Castle street, the motorman discovered an extra car coming ahead from the Carolina Central depot. His conductor rang him reverse and the car was going back to the switch to allow the extra to pass when the cart was dashed into.

BROCK MANUFACTURING CO.

Stave Mill Across River Not Closed For Lack of Finances.

Mr. J. J. Graham, of this city, has been advised by Mr. E. P. Brock, of the Brock Manufacturing Company, that his stave mill, which is shut down at present, is not idle on account of lack of capital and that it will no doubt resume operations when market conditions and other circumstances warrant the same. It is also learned that the property is not for sale contrary to a suggestion in a local mention of the mill some time ago.

The Star is also advised by Mr. Brock, proprietor of the mill at Wilmington and also another extensive plant at Riddle, N. C., that the business of the concern is in fine shape and that one of the largest cooperage companies in New York is ready and willing to furnish any amount of finances, if it were needed, which Mr. Brock writes, however, is not the case. The shutting down of the mills is merely, with two-thirds of all others, to advance the prices on stock. The Star is very glad to make this correction in justice to Mr. Brock.

SOUTHERN INSURANCE COMPANY

Permanent Organization Effected at Fayetteville—Directors.

(Fayetteville Observer.)

At the meeting of the Southern Life Insurance Company, held here yesterday, the charter was accepted and the by-laws were presented and approved.

The officers which were named at the previous preliminary meeting were duly elected: E. H. Williamson, president; W. J. Johnson, John Blue, A. L. James and R. D. Caldwell, vice-presidents; Jno. A. Oates, secretary; C. J. Cooper, treasurer and manager; J. V. McGougan, medical director; J. A. McKethan, assistant medical director; Jno. G. Shaw, attorney.

The company proposes to put agents in the field at once and push the business in every section of the South. The capital stock is not to exceed $125,000 paid in—all of which has been subscribed.

"THE ETERNAL CITY."

Hall Caine's Dramatization of Great Novel Coming Saturday Night.

"The Eternal City," Hall Caine's dramatization of his widely read novel of the same name, with the complete musical setting written expressly for it by Mascagni, composer of "Cavalleria Rusticana," comes to the Academy Saturday night with Jane Kennard in the leading role, suppored by W. E. Bonney, Emmett C. King, R. V. Ranous and Jefferson Floyd. It will give local play-goers an opportunity to see an even stronger and more interesting play than the author's earlier drama, "The Christian," the success of which has been greater than that of any other play for a decade. The massive scenic production is the same which attracted unusual attention at the Victoria Theatre, New York, where "The Eternal City" was presented for five consecutive months, and the cast even excels that seen in the metropolis.

The seat sale commences at Plummer's to-morrow morning.

THE CITY SCHOOLS.

Notice By Superintendent to Those Who Expect to Enter.

All pupils who have not before attended school in the city, are expected to present themselves for classification on Friday morning at 9 o'clock. Those who expect to enter the High School will report to the principal at the High School building on Fourth and Ann streets; those who will enter the Union School, at Fifth and Ann, and those who expect to enter the Hemenway will present themselves at the Hemenway building at Fifth and Chesnut streets.

There will be a meeting of all the teacher at the Hemenway building on Saturday morning at 11 o'clock.

JOHN J. BLAIR,
Supt. of City Schools.

His Step-Father Dead.

Deputy Sheriff Harvey Cox received the sad news yesterday morning of the death of his step-father, Mr. A. N. Sandlin, of Verona, N. C., and left the same afternoon to attend the funeral, accompanied by Rev. J. S. Crowley, of this city, who will conduct the services, and Mr. J. B. J. Sandlin, a relative of the deceased. The deceased was 55 years of age and leaves to mourn their loss a wife, one son, Mr. Henry A. Sandlin, who was in business with his father at Verona, a stepdaughter, Mrs. Ada C. Harriss, also of Verona, and two stepsons, Mr. Ira J. Cox, of Durham, and Mr. Harvey Cox, of this city.

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CRUEL TO CONVICTS

Commissioners Ask Court Investigation of Sensational Charge to State Charities Board

LETTER OF CAPT. CUMMING

Alleged That Guards and Foremen Brutally Whip and Kick Prisoners That One Died as Result—An Inquiry Ordered.

Something in the nature of a sensation was sprung in the Superior Court yesterday afternoon, just after the dinner recess, when County Attorney Marsden Bellamy arose in open session and stated with some emotion that the Board of Commissioners of New Hanover had just received with great surprise two letters, which he held in his hand and would read, charging that convicts in the county stockade at Castle Haynes had been subjected to the most cruel treatment at the hands of the guards and other officers about the camp, and that one of the prisoners had been actually beaten so severely that he had died in consequence of the wounds received. Mr. Bellamy stated that the charges were contained in a letter enclosing another from a citizen of this county to the State Board of Charities, and that in behalf of the Board of Commissioners, he desired to say that they not only courted but demanded a full and complete investigation of all the conditions complained of.

Mr. Bellamy said the letters had just been received by Chairman D. McEachern, of the Board of County Commissioners, from the State Board of Charities at Raleigh, and the charges referred to were contained in an enclosure to the latter Board from Capt. Preston Cumming, of this city, under date, the latter part of August. Immediately upon receipt of the letter from Capt. Cumming, which was addressed to Chairman A. G. Hankins, of the local board of charities and referred by him to the State Board, the chairman of the latter under date of Sept. 26th, had enclosed the letter of Capt. Cumming to Chairman McEachern and had stated with reference to the enclosure that the matter should be fully investigated as a duty which the commissioners were due to the public and to themselves. Mr. Bellamy said that neither Chairman McEachern nor any member of the Board of County Commissioners had anything to conceal about the matter and had, therefore, brought the charge to the attention of the court at the earliest possible moment in order that some official action might be taken.

The letters were read. Capt. Cumming charged exceeding cruelty to the prisoners at the stockade, both in being whipped and kicked about by the guards or other attendants. One of them, the letter stated, had been beaten so badly as to cause his death. It was further stated that a dozen witnesses stood ready to testify to the facts and would do so, if requested. The letter went on to say that the same charge had been made to previous grand juries, but nothing had come of it.

Mr. Bellamy also read a letter from Chairman McEachern to the State Board of Charities, which had been sent in immediate reply to the note, enclosing Capt. Cumming's communication. Mr. McEachern's letter was very vigorous and stated that the charge of cruelty had come to the Commissioners with great surprise as the rules and regulations prescribed for the government of the convict squad, strictly forbade any appearance of such treatment and he believed the charges were absolutely untrue. However, he might be mistaken as the superintendent, guards and convicts themselves may have all continuously and wilfully lied. Mr. McEachern requested the State Board of Charities to send a committee from Raleigh to fully investigate the charges, and if the county of New Hanover would not allow the expense, he (the chairman) would personally bear the cost. The letter further stated that it was hoped the State Board would see fit to make an early investigation of all conditions as they obtain at the camp.

Immediately upon the reading of the letter and the prefactory remarks of Mr. Bellamy, Judge Council, presiding over the court, ordered an instanter subpoena to issue for Capt. Cumming, summoning him before the grand jury to give all information of his knowledge and also to furnish to the grand jury the names of any others whom he had reason to believe knew of the facts set forth in the complaint. The subpoena was immediately issued and Capt. Cumming, it is understood, will appear before the grand jury today.

During the afternoon, Solicitor Duffy took occasion to reply to the portion of the letter of Capt. Cumming stating that the matter had been previously reported to the court with no results. Mr. Duffy, admitted that such communications had been received, but said in effect that investigations which invariably followed, disclosed, as far as he could understand, that the complaints were without foundation.

Capt. W. H. Shearin, superintendent of the convict camp, was asked yesterday if he could recall any instance that could give color to the report that a convict had died from the effects of being whipped. He said that he could not and had not the least idea whence the reports came or how they originated.

Stolter-Middleton.

Friends in the city have received handsome invitations bearing the following announcement: "You are invited to be present at the marriage of Katherine Julia Stolter to Mr. Fred G. Middleton Wednesday evening, October eleventh, Nineteen hundred and five at six o'clock, St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church, Wilmington, N. C."

NEW STATE BANK EXAMINER

F. J. Haywood, Jr., Appointed to Succeed J. W. Aycock Resigned—Raleigh Dispensary.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., Sept. 27.—The Corporation Commission announces the resignation of J. W. Aycock as State Bank Examiner to become secretary and treasurer of the Goldsboro Furniture Company and the appointment of F. J. Haywood, Jr., as his successor to enter upon his duties at once. Mr. Haywood has for some time been cashier of the Southern Loan and Savings Bank of Charlotte, and is a son of Dr. F. J. Haywood, of Raleigh. He was also formerly with the Atlantic National Bank, of Wilmington, for a time as acting cashier.

Attorneys for W. R. Murray, under sentence to serve five years in Durham county for the killing of J. S. Murray, have petitioned Governor Glenn to stay the execution of the sentence until argument for a pardon can be heard. The Governor has set the case for Saturday at 11 o'clock when both sides will be given a hearing.

Judge Justice heard argument in the Superior Court to-day on petition for a mandamus compelling the Raleigh aldermen to order an election on "Dispensary" and "Open Saloons" and granted the mandamus. The Aldermen are not decided whether they will appeal or not. The question was whether the petition calling the election should be signed by one-third of the "registered" or one-third of the "qualified" voters of the city. In rendering the decision Judge Justice said: "The law seems plain, a registered voter is not necessarily a qualified voter, but I hope the Supreme Court will overrule me."

Governor Glenn makes public the report of the State Hospital Board exonerating the management of the institution from blame for the death of Thos Nall, the patient whose death created such a sensation recently. His Excellency says he will make no statement until after the trial of attendants this week in the Superior Court.

The Corporation Commission has issued a summary of the condition of State, savings and private banks in the State at the close of business August 25th. The summary shows resources aggregating $35,900,024, an increase of $6,057,581 during the past year. Time certificate deposits aggregate, $3,083,717; deposits subject to check, $20,566,999; demand certificates of deposit. $1,301,650.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. G. T. Thaggard, of Clarkton, was a guest at The Orton yesterday.

—John Gilchrist McCormick, Esq., of Lumberton, was among yesterday's arrivals.

—Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Fowlkes, and child, of Rockingham, N. C., are guests at The Orton.

—Messrs. Alex. McGirt, of Rowland, and W. W. McArthur, of Clarkton, were visitors to the city yesterday.

—Mr. C. E. Stenersen, of Charlotte, representing the New Home Sewing Machine Company, is a guest at The Orton.

—Mr. Julius P. Webster returned last night from a pleasant vacation spent with friends in Darlington, and Marion, S. C.

—Mrs. A. D. McClure and children, Edwin and little Miss Elizabeth, have returned from a pleasant visit to Asheville, N. C., and Spartanburg, S. C.

—Mr. Alban B. Pleasants, of this city, has entered the Bensselaer Polytechnic Institute, at Troy, N. Y., for a four years' course in civil engineering.

—Among the passengers on yesterday's New York steamer, were Mr. and Mrs. J. Hicks Bunting, who had been on several weeks visit to New York and Boston. Mr. Bunting was a delegate from Wilmington to the National Druggists' Convention, which convened in Boston last week.

"DAY OF PRAYER."

Interesting Exercises by Woman's Missionary Union This Week.

The programme for the annual "Day of Prayer," observed by the Woman's Missionary Union of Wilmington Presbytery, has just been announced. The exercises will take place Friday of this week at Black River Chapel, in Pender county, and a number of ladies and ministers from all over the presbytery will attend. The programme is as follows:

Morning—10:30 A. M.

Devotional Exercises.....
..... Rev. K. McCaskill.
Address ..... Rev. R. L. Wharton.
Address ..... Rev. R. M. Mann.
Map Talk ..... Rev. L. W. Curtis.
Prayer. Hymn.
Lunch.

Afternoon—3 P. M.

Song Service .....
..... Little Helpers Mission Band.
Devotional Exercises .....
..... Mrs. Jas. C. Stewart.
How each one may help to build the Hospital—Miss E. W. Murphy.
Consecration Service.
Prayer.
Hymn.
A season of prayer and thanksgiving for the "Elizabeth McRae Scholarship"—Mrs. B. F. Hall.
Season of Silent Prayer—"Pray ye therefore the Lord of the harvest that He would send forth laborers into His harvest."—Luke, 10-2.
Hymn.
The King's business requires haste.
Hymn.
"Whom shall I send? Who will go for us?"—Isa. 6-8.
Hymn.
Benediction.

Valuable Wharf Property.

The Wilmington Savings and Trust Company, trustees for Emily M. Noyes, has sold to Col. John Wilder Atkinson, for $6,650, the property on the wharf, beginning 132 feet south of Chesnut street, 41x174 feet in size, including valuable water front and store on Water street.

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Anthracite Egg ..... $6.50 per ton
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Don't sell for less. If your bill to us is due, and you prefer not to sell cotton, write us at once. We can arrange to protect our customers as to prices and terms.

W. B. COOPER,
Wilmington, N. C.
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WILMINGTON, N. C.

Thursday Morning, Sept. 28.

FRUIT CULTURE IN NORTH CAROLINA.

The Asheville Citizen says the apple show now in progress in that city is well worth seeing and that the fruit on display is as fine as can be found in any place in the country. We have no doubt of it, and yet the apple growing industry in North Carolina is in its infancy. Our people little dream of the adaptability and capability of the mountain and other regions of North Carolina for growing apples and other fruits.

Our esteemed contemporary, the Citizen, speaking of the show, says:

"The growing of fine apples for the markets of the large cities should be one of the principal industries of this mountain section. No where else do apples attain the perfection which they do right here in the Blue Ridge mountains and apple growing should be investigated by every farmer. The crop when rightly handled is a very valuable one and the yield per acre in dollars and cents much greater than from any other source. One farmer in Haywood county several days ago sold his apples at a price which will net him $700. The farm which yielded this magnificent crop is not a large one and is a mountain farm, very steep and very rugged. What the owner of this farm has done every other farmer in Western North Carolina can also do."

It must be remembered that the apple crop which turned in $700 to the Buncombe farmer was a mere side issue on his little farm. It will, however, serve as an example to him and others as to what the future holds in store for the industry.

The Charlotte Chronicle makes the following observation:

"The South little realizes yet what opportunity is before its people. Railway development is just beginning to bring a great apple section in North Carolina within reach of the markets. In a conversation with a gentleman from northwest New York, it develops that the apples of that section is a big cash crop. In Albion, the county seat of Orleans county, are great storage houses for apples. These houses are kept artificially cooled. The apples in this northwest section are considered easy to keep in storage. Those of many parts of western North Carolina are probably as good. For ten years Orleans county has shipped an average of 500,000 barrels of apples. This season one Orleans farmer sold his apple crop on the trees for $1,600. In an adjoining county a farmer sold his apples for $13,000."

Western North Carolina is the home of the variety of apples that can be kept over for Winter use, but all portions of North Carolina are adapted to the apple and other fruit crops. While the mountain region of North Carolina is developing the apple industry we hope to see Eastern North Carolina made the great grape growing region of the South. There are hundred of other fruits that can be grown profitably in this favored section of the State.

DON'T LEAVE NORTH CAROLINA.

It ought to be an Eldorado or a land flowing with milk and honey that would tempt a young man to leave North Carolina. On the contrary the young man should stick to North Carolina, for the opportunities here are daily opening wider to industry and enterprise. As to climate the Old North State is as fair a land as there is under the sun, and in agriculture, manufacturing, and all branches of industry there are unequalled chances not only for the native Carolinian but for young men who may come here from other States. There is a wide field for all and room for five times the present number of inhabitants.

That young men may succeed in North Carolina, even at farming, we quote the following from the edifying column in the Lumberton Robesonian, conducted by that gifted and versatile gentleman, Rev. P. R. Law:

"Twenty years ago a Robesonian, who had gone to Texas several years before, got homesick. He resolved to come home. All his possessions he could convert into money was a Texas pony. He resolved to sell him and come homeward as far as the proceeds of the sale would bring him. When his money gave out he stopped and picked cotton twice and made money in order to reach old Robeson at last. He landed with nothing. Without delay he began farming and is a farmer yet. He has made all his money farming and is worth about seventy-five thousand dollars. This fact shows several things. It proves the value of our lands, and the profit that is possible in farming in our county. Let this story be pondered while reading of the great sums of money that are made now and then in the South and West. We have the soil, the climate, the water, the equable seasons, the educational advantages and social attractions that are peculiarly fitted to draw the best people to our borders and keep our boys at home."

What one man can do another can do. The experience of the Robeson man is but one of thousands of examples that could be mentioned.

FORAKER'S FIRST GUN.

The New York Times, referring to Senator Foraker's speech at the Ohio Republican State Convention the other day says:

"It is a curious fact that in 'firing the first gun' in the Fall campaign in Ohio Senator Foraker took occasion to aim it point blank at the President. It is true that he prefaced his remarkable criticism of the avowed policy of the official head of the party by a somewhat vague eulogy of that gentleman, especially noting he had redeemed every pledge made by the party in the National platform of 1904. But the chief feature of his speech was an elaborate, sharp, defiant condemnation of the principle of reciprocity to which the President has given his warm advocacy, of every form of interference with the protective tariff not openly asked for by those who enjoy its special favors, and of the policy of regulating railroad rates to which the President is very plainly and emphatically committed. 'Call you this backing your friends?'"

Vice President Fairbanks in his speech also stood up for the stand-pat idea, and declared that the Republican party would keep up the tariff or revise it to suit itself. The speakers claimed that President Roosevelt's administration has carried out the National Republican platform as to stand-pattery and endorsed the administration.

If President Roosevelt is for reciprocity he had a mighty poor way of showing it when he accepted the nomination of the stand-patters and approved the platform with words of praise. Mr. Roosevelt seems to be a many sided man if the stand-patters can claim him and the tariff reformers can look on him as their man.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—A Jay bird filling a knot-hole with acorns makes the man who does not try to lay up something for a rainy day look mighty small.—Raleigh Post.

—"It tickles Charlotte to death to show her good roads to delegations from other cities who are looking for the best model to go by in constructing durable and economical highways."

—Ex-Judge Sutton suggests that a board of pardons of men of both political parties would be the thing. The idea is all right; but is it not a fact that the administration of all public affairs should be free from partisanship?—Raleigh Post.

—Wilmington Star. All this and more; it also tickles outsiders and strangers thitherward bound, to find such good roads. Finding them they ride on them, and the money incident to the ride is distributed among all traders, both big and little. Mecklenburg county roads are of more than fictional value; you may touch them and even bear hard upon them—and they are right there.—Raleigh Times.

—The efforts of the school authorities of some of the Northern cities to force equality of the races in the public schools are not meeting with very gratifying results. In Pittsburg the authorities decreed that the white and negro children should meet upon an equal footing. The white children wouldn't have it, and the other day there was a clash of races among the pupils that necessitated the calling of the police.—Savannah News.

—The dispatches the other day contined an item to the effect that the old frigate Constitution, better known as "Old Ironsides," was fast falling into decay and was in danger to turning turtle and sinking at her dock. About the same time there was an item in the papers stating that Admiral Lord Nelson's flagship the Victory, was floating trim and tight in the harbor of Portsmouth, Eng., and was capable of undertaking at short notice a long cruise. Why hasn't the Constitution been as well cared for as the Victory? Are the Americans less appreciative than the English.—Savannah News.

—The Observer says that at the meeting of the Mecklenburg farmers in Charlotte Saturday a resolution was adopted declaring that the North Carolina branch of the Southern Cotton Association is inefficient and worthless under the management of Col. John S. Cunningham, and the secretary of the county association was instructed to report the state of affairs to President Jordan with the view of having the North Carolina division placed on a more satisfactory basis. This is hard on Col. Cunningham. He has been making a pass at the governorship for several years and he doubtless had great hopes of being able to work the farmers for the office. It's too hard if the farmers are going back on him.—Statesville Landmark.

—"You know," said Senator Tillman to the Gaffney Ledger, "it took thirteen years to discover the corruption in the dispensary system." The Senator should refresh his memory by reference to the newspaper files. It did not take a year to discover the corruption, but it took upwards of a dozen years to force him and other higoted advocates of the system to admit the condition. Until within the last week he has not admitted the corruption; instead he has for years defended the dispensary, defended the men who conducted its affairs and disregarded all charges filed by the opposition. His attitude has been such as to encourage those having opportunity to steal to take advantage of the sheltering arms of the system's defenders.—Columbia State.

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TWINKLINGS.

—Patience—Did she dress much at the beach? Patrice—Why, yes, when she wasn't bathing—Yonkers Statesman.

—The Husband—Why, my trunk is full of your shirt waists. The Wife—Yes. I found there wasn't room in it for them and your clothes also.—Harper's Bazaar.

—"What was the number of the automobile that ran over you?" "I don't know. I heard it, smelled it and felt it—but I couldn't see it."—Translated for Tales from Fliegende Blaetter.

—Grayce—You say that Mabel Moneybaggs is going to invest in a foreign duke? Gladys—I don't know whether she is going to invest or not. I know that she has written for a prospectus.—Pittsburg Post.

—Point of View.—First Suburbanite—Was your garden a success this year? Second Suburbanite—You bet it was. My next door neighbor's chickens took the first prize at the poultry show.—Chicago Daily News.

—"Do you think her father will give his consent? "Sure! I've been playing poker with him once a week for the last six months and letting him win. He'll feel like he has been offered a pension when I ask him."—Houston Post.

—He—Hello, old man. I understand that after graduating at Yale you spent six years among the German medical universities. Him—And two in London. He—Well, well! I spose you're through with study now? Him—No; I'm just beginning a three weeks' course on operating a trolley car.—Pittsburg Post.

—"Why, John," exclaimed Mrs. Newkid as she came into the room, "what in the world makes the baby cry so?" I don't know, my dear," answered Newkid, as he handed the infant over to its mother, "but I imagine he is thinking of what the Governor of North Carolina once said to the Governor of South Carolina."—Chicago News.

—Benevolent Lady—"Now, mind that you don't go and spend that at the first public house you come to." Disreputatable old pauper—"You bet I won't, mum. You means the 'Spotted Dog.' Not me. You're a good judge, you are. I'm for the "Green Duck,' further on. I agrees with you—the 'Spotted Dog' ain't no class at all."—Punch.

COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

(Quoted officially at the closing by the Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, Sept. 27, 1905.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE — Market firm, 64 bid.

ROSIN—Market firm, $3.25.

TAR—Market firm at $1.80 per barrel of 280 pounds.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Market firm at $3.00 per barrel for hard, $4.25 for dip and $4.25 for Virgin.

Qoutations same day last year—Spirits turpentine, nothing doing; rosin, nothing doing; tar, firm at $1.60; crude turpentine, firm at $2.25 and $3.80.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	86
Rosin	352
Tar	152
Tar	142

Receipts same day last year—Spirits, 28 casks; rosin, 92 barrels; tar, 132 barrels; crude turpentine, 139 barrels.

COTTON.

Market—Steady at 10 3-8 cents.

Same day last year, dull at 10-1-8.

Receipts—3,924 bales; same day last year, 5,111 bales.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

(Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants prices representaing those paid for produce consigned to Commission Merchants.)

PEANUTS—North Carolina, firm. Prime, $1.00; extra prime, $1.05; fancy $1.12 1-2, per bushel of twenty-eight pounds. Virginia—Prime 80c., extra prime, 85c.; fancy, 90c.; Spanish, $1.00 @$1.05.

CORN—Firm; 60@65 per bushel for white.

N. C. BACON—Steady, hams, 15 to 16 per pound; shoulders, 10 to 11; sides, dull, 10 to 11.

EGGS—Firm at 17 cents per dozen.

CHICKENS—Dull Springs, 17c per 25c.; Grown, 30 to 35.

BEESWAX—Firm, at 26@27c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2@5c. per pound.

PEAS — White, No sales; clay; $1.15@$1.20.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 95@$1.00 per bushel.

BEEF CATTLE—Dull at 2 1-2@3c per pound.

THE COTTON MARKET.

New York, September 27.—The cotton market was generally easier under liquidation and bear pressure, with the close barely steady at a net decline of 17 to 22 points. Sales were estimated at 500,000 bales. The opening was steady at a decline of 3 to 7 points or just about as due on the showing by Liverpool. At first there seemed a fair demand and prices ruled fairly steady but the list soon weakened under scattering liquidation and bear pressure. There was a brief reaction of about 4 to 5 points around midday but the market lost ground again in the afternoon and the close was within a point or two of the lowest. The weather in the South was good but there seemed to be no change in the general character of the Southern news either regarding spot conditions or the outlook for the crop. An estimate indicating a crop of about 11,250,000 bales may have had some influence in bringing about the decline while smaller bulls were also disappointed over the absence of support from Wall street.

Receipts at the ports today were 46,409 bales against 35,782 last week and 72,459 last year. For the week estimated 300,000 bales against 240,178 last week and 443,117 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans 2,897 bales against 15,490 last year and at Houston 11,706 bales against 14,258 last year.

Spot closed quiet, 20 points decline; middling uplands, 10.90; middling gulf, 11.15; sales 205 bales.

Futures opened steady at the decline. October, 10.63; November, 10.69; December, 10.81; January, 10.88; March, 11.01; April, 11.07; May, 11.11; June, 11.11.

Futures closed barely steady. September, 10.38; October, 10.46; November, 10.56; December, 10.66; January, 10.72; February, 10.78; March, 10.86; April, 10.91; May, 10.94.

Port Movement.

Galveston—Steady, 10 9-16c.; net receipts, 15,986 bales.

New Orleans—Steady, 10 1-2c.; net receipts, 8,978 bales.

Mobile—Quiet, 10 3-8c.; net receipts, 227 bales.

Savannah—Steady, 10 5-8c.; net receipts 13,117 bales.

Charleston—Steady, 10 3-8c.; net receipts, 2,297 bales.

Wilmington—Steady, 10 3-8c.; net receipts, 3,924 bales.

Norfolk—Steady, 10 5-8c.; net receipts, 5,101 bales.

Baltimore—Nominal, 11c.

New York—Quiet, 10.90.

Boston—Quiet, 11.10; net receipts, 186 bales.

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Philadelphia—Quiet, 11.15.

Miscellaneous—Net receipts, 613 bales.

Total to-day, at all ports—Net, 46,409 bales; Great Britain, 15,073 bales; Continent, 8,867 bales; Stock, 662,507 bales.

Consolidated, at all ports—Net, 207,083 bales; Great Britain, 39,516 bales; France, 8,910 bales; Continent, 24,652 bales.

Total since September 1st, at all ports—Net, 836,532 bales; Great Britain, 174,808 bales; France, 44,279 bales; Continent, 176,250 bales; Japan, 756 bales; Mexico, 100 bales.

Interior Movement.

Houston—Steady, 10 1-2c.; net receipts, 11,706 bales.

Augusta—Steady, 10 1-2c.; net receipts, 3,738 bales.

Memphis—Firm, 10 11-16c.; net receipts, 512 bales.

St. Louis—Steady, 10 3-4c.

Cincinnati—Net receipts, 382 bales.

Louisville—Firm, 10 3-4c.

Liverpool Cotton Market.

Liverpool, September 27.—Cotton.—Spot moderate business done; prices two points lower. American middling fair, 6.20d.; good middling, 5.96d.; middling, 5.80d.; low middling, 5.64d; good ordinary, 5.46.; ordinary, 5.30d.

The sales of the day were 7,000 bales of which 500 were for speculation and export and included 6,100 American. Receipts 23,000 bales, including 14,500 American. Futures opened easier and closed barely steady; American middling G. O. C: September, 5.69d; September and October, 5.69d.; October and November, 5.69d.; November and December, 5.72d.; December and January, 5.75d.; January and February, 5.78d.; February and March, 5.80d.; March and April, 5.82d.; April and May, 5.83d.; May and June, 5.84d.; June and July, 5.80d.; July and August, 5.85d.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, Sept. 27.—Money on call firm 4@4 1-4 per cent.; closing bid, 4 1-4, offered at 4 1-4. Time loans steady, 60 and 90 days, 4@4 1-4 per cent.; six months, 4 1-4@4 1-2. Prime mercantile paper, 4 1-2@5 per cent. Sterling exchange firm with actual business in bankers bills at 485.70@485.75 for demand and at 482.65@482.75 for sixty day bills. Posted rates, 483 1-2 and 486@486 1-2. Commercial bills, 482 3-8@482 1-2. Bar silver, 61 5-8. Mexican dollars, 47.

N. Y. Bonds.

U. S. refunding, 2s reg	103 7-8
U. S. refunding, 2s cou	104 3-8
U. S. 3s reg	104 1-8
U. S. 3s cou	104 1-8
U. S. New, 4s reg	134
U. S. 4s new, cou.	134
U. S. old 4s reg	104 1-2
U. S. 4s cou cou	105 1-4
American Tobacco, 4s cert	76 7-8
American Tobacco, 6s cert	116 7-8
Atlantic Coast Line, 4s.	102
Baltimore & Ohio, 4s.	105 1-4
L. & N. Unified, 4s	104
Seaboard Air Line, 4s	91 5-8
Southern Railway, 5s	121 1-4
U. S. Steel, 2d 5s	97 3-4

Closing Stock List.

Amalgamated Copper	82
American Sugar Refining	139 1-4
American Tobacco, pfd cert.	101
Atlantic Coast Line	165
Baltimore & Ohio	112
Baltimore & Ohio, pfd	97 1-2
Chesapeake & Ohio	57 3-8
Louisville & Nashville	154 5-8
Manhattan L.	165
New York Central	150
Norfolk & Western	84 3-4
Norfolk & Western, pfd	91
People's Gas	103 1-4
Reading	122 1-8
Reading, 1st pfd	91 3-4
Reading, 2nd pfd	94 1-2
Southern Pacific	68 7-8
Southern Pacific, pfd	119 3-4
Southern Railway	37 1-8
Southern Railway, pfd	100
Tenn., Coal & Iron	86 3-4
U. S. Steel	37 5-8
U. S. Steel, pfd.	104 3-4
Va.-Car. Chemical	31 5-8
Va.-Car. Chemical, pfd	107 1-4
S. A. L., com., bid	23
S. A. L., pfd. bid	46 1-2
Standard Oil	638
Western Union	93 1-4

CHICAGO MARKET.

Chicago, Sept. 27.—Decreased receipts in the northwest decreased strength today in the wheat market. At the close, the December option was up 5-8@1c. Corn, oats and provisions are practically unchanged.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat. No. 2.—				
Sept	84¼	85¼	84¼	85¼
Dec.	85½	86¼	85½	86
May	86⅞	87⅞	86⅞	87⅝
Corn, No. 2.—				
Sept., old	51⅞	52	51⅞	51⅞
Sept., new	51⅞	52	51	52
Dec., old	45⅝	46⅛	45⅝	46⅛
Dec., New	44⅜	45⅛	44¾	45
May	44⅜	44⅝	44⅜	44½
Oats, No. 2.—				
Sept	27⅛	27¾	27⅛	27¾
Dec.	28½	28¾	28½	28⅝
May	30½	30⅝	30⅜	30⅝
Mess Pork, per bbl.—				
Oct.	14.95	14.95	14.90	14.90
Jan	12.37½	12.45	12.37½	12.40
Lard, per 100 lbs.—				
Oct	7.37½	7.37½	7.20	7.20
Nov.	7.22½	7.25	7.12½	7.15
Jan.	6.80	6.82½	6.77½	6.80
Short Ribs, per 100 lbs.—				
Oct.	8.52½	8.55	8.47½	8.52½
Jan.	6.50	6.52½	6.50	6.50

Cash quotations were as follows:

Flour, firm; No. 2 spring wheat, 87@88; No. 3 spring wheat, 80@87; No. 2 red, 84 1-4@85 1-4; No. 2 corn, 51 1-2; No. 2 yellow, 54 1-2; No. 2 oats, 27 3-4; No. 2 white, 28 3-4@30; No. 3 white, 27 3-4@29; No. 2 rye, 70@71; Good feeding barley, 36 1-2@37; Fair to choice malting, 41@48; No. 1 flax seed, 96; No. 1 northwestern, 1.02 1-2; Prime timothy seed, 3.10; Mess Pork, per bbl., 14.90@15.00; Lard, per 100 lbs., 7.20; Short ribs sides (loose), 8.50@8.55; Short clear sides (boxed), 8.25@8.50; Whiskey, basis of high wines, 1.30; Clover, contract grade, 12.25.

NEW YORK PRODUCE.

New York, September 27.—Flour market dull but firm.

RYE FLOUR—Quiet.

WHEAT—Spot No. 2 red, 89 7-8; closed 7-8@1c higher for options. May, 91 1-2; September, 98 1-2; December, 90 7-8.

CORN—Spot steady; No. 2, 58 1-2; options closed partly 1-8c net lower. May, 50 1-4; September, 58 1-2; December, 51 1-8.

OATS—Spot steady; mixed oats, 32 1-2@33 1-2.

LARD—Steady; refined quiet.

PORK—Steady.

TALLOW—Steady.

RICE—Firm.

MOLASSES—Firm.

COFFEE—Spot Rio steady. No. 7 invoice, 8 3-4; mild firm. Futures closed steady at a decline, 10 points.

SUGAR—Raw steady; fair refining, 3 11-16; centrifugal 96 test, 3 1-16; molasses sugar, 2 13-16; refined quiet.

BUTTER—Firm; extra creamery, 20 1-4@20 3-4.

CHEESE—Quiet, unchanged.

EGGS—Firm, unchanged.

PEANUTS—Easy; fancy handpicked, 5; other domestic, 3@5 1-4.

COTTON BY STEAM—To Liverpool, 15.

POTATOES—Irish steady; sweets easy; prices unchanged.

CABBAGES—Steady, unchanged.

COTTON SEED OIL—Firm and higher with a fair trade. Prime crude f. o. b. mills, 19@19 1-2; prime summer yellow, 25 1-2@26. Prime white, 29@30. Prime winter yellow, 29@29 1-2.

NAVAL STORES.

New York, Sept. 27.—Turpentine firm at 67 1-2 to 68; rosin firm, strained common to good, 3.80.

Savannah, Sept. 27.—Turpentine firm, 65 1-4; sales 682; receipts 368.

Rosin firm; sales 2,181; receipts 777; shipments 282. Quote: A. B. C., 3.45; D., 3.75; E., 4.30; F., 4.50; G., 4.55; H., 4.60; I., 4.65; K., 4.70; M., 4.75; N., 4.80; W. G., 5.25; W. W., 5.60.

Charleston, Sept. 27.—Turpentine and rosin nothing doing.

MARINE.

ARRIVED.

Schooner Chas. C. Lister, 266 tons, Moore, New York, C. D. Maffitt.

Steamer Compton, Jacobs, Little River, S. C., Stone & Co.

Steamer Johnson, Black, Clear Run, J. A. Munn.

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Steamer Navanoe, Bunnell, Georgetown, S. C., H. G. Smallbones.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels Now in Port of Wilmington, N. C.

Steamers.

Nyanza (Br.), 2,642 tons, McCaulay, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Bertholey (Br.), 2,433 tons, Bride, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Nyassa (Br.), 1,786 tons, Baker, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Othello (Br.), 2,398 tons, Cox, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

David Mainland (Br.), 1,201 tons, Clark, Heide & Co.

Barques.

Aurora (No.), 627 tons, Thorsdal, Heide & Co.

Brigs.

Alcaea, 363 tons, Southard, C. D. Maffitt.

Schooners.

Sylvia C. Hall, 285 tons, Falkinburg, C. D. Maffitt.

C. C. Lister, 266 tons, Moore, C. D. Maffitt.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., Sept. 27, 1905.

C. C. Railroad—564 bales cotton, 4 casks spirits turpentine, 30 barrels rosin, 29 barrels tar, 32 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & W. Railroad—766 bales cotton, 3 casks spirits turpentine, 9 barrels tar, 52 barrels crude turpentine.

W. C. & A. Railroad—1,960 bales cotton, 3 casks spirits turpentine, 10 barrels rosin, 74 barrels tar, 24 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—541 bales cotton, 44 casks spirits turpentine. 103 barrels rosin, 19 barrels tar.

W. & N. Railroad—43 bales cotton, 5 casks spirits turpentine, 4 barrels crude turpentine.

Steamer Alice—1 cask spirits turpentine, 23 barrels rosin.

Steamer Compton—44 bales cotton.

Steamer Johnson—10 casks spirits turpentine, 106 barrels rosin, 21 barrels, 30 barrels crude turpentine.

Schooner C. T. Hermann—6 bales cotton, 16 casks spirits turpentine, 80 barrels rosin.

Total—3,924 bales cotton, 86 casks spirits turpentine, 352 barrels rosin, 152 barrels tar, 142 barrels crude turpentine.

GOVERNMENT CROP REPORT.

Cotton in North Carolina Slighly Improved During Week.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Washington, Sept. 26.—The Weather Bureau in its weekly bulletin of the crop conditions, says:

The reports indicate but little change in the condition of cotton in South Carolina, Georgia, Alabama and Oklahoma and Indian Territory, a slight improvement in North Carolina, Missouri, Arkansas and Northeastern Texas, and more or less deterioration in other portions of the cotton belt, although there is decidedly less complaint of rust and shedding in the central and in portions of the eastern districts. Picking in Texas was interrupted to some extent by rain but this work has been active under generally favorable conditions in all districts, except in the north central portion of the belt where it is not yet general. Picking is nearing completion in portions of Georgia, Louisiana and extreme southern Texas.

Some injury to housed tobacco by moist weather is reported from portions of the middle Atlantic States and New England, but elsewhere the reports respecting this crop are favorable.

ANOTHER WONDER OF SCIENCE.

Biology has Proved that Dandruff is Caused by a Germ.

Science is doing wonders these days in medicine as well as in mechanics. Since Adam lived, the human race has been troubled with dandruff, for which no hair preparation has heretofore proved a successful cure until Newbro's Herpicide was put on the market. It is a scientific preparation that kills the germ that makes dandruff or scurf by digging into the scalp to get at the root of the hair, where it saps the vitality; causing itching scalp, falling hair, and finally baldness. Without dandruff hair must grow luxuriantly. It is the only destroyer of dandruff. Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c. in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich.

HARDIN'S PHARMACY, Special Agent.

DUNLOP MEAL

Water Ground Virginia Meal

This has won, but its merits, Reputation of being the Best—Our customers order

"Dunlop, No Other Kind."

People who buy nothing else from us, buy this Meal, because, they write "our customers call for it." There is only one "Dunlop Meal," so accept no other.

The Worth Co.

Sole Handlers.

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HARRIS' LITHIA WATER

It is Good for that Tired Feeling

Cuban Blossom Cigars Go Well All Know

Silver Coin Flour Can't Be Beat

H. L. VOLLERS,

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We are still reducing prices on all Summer Shoes. Our large and attractive stock of Fall and Winter Footwear is coming in lively now, and we are preparing to take good care of the largest volume of trade we ever had.

Come and see us when you need Shoes, before buying elsewhere.

"Our "C. O. A." System is more popular then ever.

Save your purchase tickets and get some of our Useful Premiums.

We are still giving Beach Tickets Free.

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5 Cents per Loaf,

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A girl for general housework? A sewing girl? A woman to wash? A man to attend to your furnace or help around the house?

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Of Wilmington, N. C.

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We respectfully solicit your deposit. We pay 4 per cent interest, compounded quarterly. Your attention is called to our Directorate: James F. Post, Robert R. Bellamy, Duncan McEacher n. Isaac Shrier, C. W. Yates, Thomas Wilson, of Cades, S. C., Geo. R. French, Wm. Calder, J. G. Barentine, Wm E. Worth, Joseph T. Foy, of Scott's Hill, N. C., Robert C. DeRosset, Mitchell F. Allen, Martin S. Willard, James H. Chadbourn and Jno. S. Armstrong. ..

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With a Six Months Guarantee, 25c Each.

Newport Overalls

Union-Made in Pants with Belt to match, the best ever sold at $1.00.

The balance of Summer stock goes at cost.

Shoes—STAR BRAND are better.

Sole Agent for the Buster Brown Shoe for Boys and Girls.

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One Iron Safe Tosier make, good as new, 2,800 pounds. One Herring Marvin Safe, 2,300 pounds. 2 Iron Safes, 1,000 pounds. One Safe, 500 pounds, and several others at low figures. Description mailed. Can be seen at our Store.

SAM'L BEAR SR., & SONS

18 Market Street,

Wilmington, N. C.

COTTON and LUMBER

Cotton and Lumber are bringing good prices—don't have your Gin or Saw Mill broke down half the time, we can keep you going with the best grades of belting, saws, files, valves, packings, fittings, and all machinery supplies.

Call, Phone, Wire or Write.

T. D. LOVE COMP'Y

Wholesale Supplies.

204-206 North Water street.

Wilmington, N. C.

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REMOVAL NOTICE!

We wish to inform our patrons that we have removed from our old quarters, No. 10 Princess street to the Southern building, corner Front and Chestnut streets, where we shall be pleased to serve them in future.

ATLANTIC TRUST & BANKING CO.

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CASTORIA

The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but Experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

What is CASTORIA

Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is Pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. It destroys Worms and allays Feverishness. It cures Diarrhœa and Wind Colic. It relieves Teething Troubles, cures Constipation and Flatulency. It assimilates the Food, regulates the Stomach and Bowels, giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

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For the biggest kind of crops, quickly and with little labor and few hands.

If you haven't investigated the Wood, come in at once.

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SOUTHERN NATIONAL BANK OF WILMINGTON

ANNOUNCES THAT THE NATIONAL GOVERNMENT HAS ISSUED ITS CHARTER, AND BUSINESS WILL BEGIN MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 18TH.

MATT J. HEYER, President. CHAS. N. EVANS, Cashier.

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HUNTERS, ATTENTION!

The wise hunter will come straight to this store if he is looking for a good shot-gun or rifle. We handle the celebrated Ithica Shot-gun which is a leader, also the famous Winchester Rifles, and Repeating Shot-guns. Our shells never "snap fire" for they are the best made.

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$1,150,000.00 Fire Losses Paid in North Carolina.

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SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

—Captain Charles Price, of Salisbury, is critically ill, and it is feared that he may not survive the attack.

—The last school census of Winston shows that there are 2,754 children in that city between the ages of 6 to 21 years. Last year there were 3,674—a gain of 80 in favor of this year. The whites this year number 1,953 and the colored 1,801.

—A colored man named Elam Griffin met with a horrible death Monday arternoon at a saw mill near Loray, Iredell county. He was thrown against the circular saw, face foremost. His body was split open and death was instantaneous. Griffin was about twenty years old.

—Ex-Judge Frank I. Osborne, of Charlotte, left Tuesday night for New York to assist his brother, Mr. J. W. Osborne, in the conduct of several important cases. Mr. Osborne has an enormous law practice and even with the assistants he has more business on hand than he can attend to. Judge Osborne will be absent several weeks.

—Col. John S. Cuningham, president of the North Carolina division of the Southern Cotton Association, urges the cotton growers to hold their cotton and not to part with it for less than the minimum price. He declares that the banks and business men of the State and South are back of the big movement of the growers, and by co-operation with these interests the growers can win out.

—The silk mill at High Point is to be made one of the largest and most modern plants of its kind in the country. Mr. Barlow, representative of Stehli & Co., operating the plant, is in High Point to arrange the preliminaries. This concern will also bring another large plant to High Point, which will operate tributary to the silk mills. A large power house is to be erected and the capacity more than doubled.

—A general Stock Law election held throughout Moore county on Tuesday, resulted in the defeat of the stock law by about five hundred majority. About one fourth of the county is already under the stock law, and in this territory the vote was very light while in the other portions of the county the fight was strong and a heavy vote was polled. In some of the townships the vote was ten to one against the stock law.

—The annual fair at Murfreesboro, N. C., will be held October 10th to 13th. Preparations have been made for large exhibits of agricultural products, manufactured goods, machinery, live stock, poultry, etc. This fair has excellent grounds and buildings, a splendid race track, and offers liberal purses for trials of speed. Many of the fastest horses in the country have already been entered. For premium list, write to J. C. Chitty, Murfreesboro, N. C.

—Raleigh Post: Gov. Glenn yesterday granted a pardon for John Arch McMillan, who was convicted at the September term, 1900, Richmond county, of manslaughter, and sentenced to eight years in the penitentiary. The pardon was upon recommendation of the judge, jury and county officers (the solicitor being dead), and after thoroughly considering the case, "I am of the opinion," says the governor, "that the defendant has been imprisoned enough, and he is pardoned, conditioned on his good behavior."

—Raleigh News and Observer: Hon. E. W. Pou, of Smithfield, member of Congress from this district, is in the city. Mr. Pou says that at the coming session of Congress he will again introduce his bill requiring an investigation of the receipts and expenditures of political parties, as the recent developments in the insurance investigation show that huge sums are collected. He introduced such a bill in the winter of 1902 and considers this to be an appropriate time to present it again. It will be a stumbling block to the Republicans who will hardly allow it to pass.

—Salisbuy Post: Ten years ago, Miss Laura M. Hoffner, the daughter of Mr. N. I. Hoffner, of Mt. Ulla, came to Salisbury. She entered the Salisbury cotton mills, went to work and at the expiration of ten years, she has saved a neat little fortune. This she did by faithful work and not by the arts of the miser. She always dressed neatly, was popular and she deserved to be. She is the daughter of a most excellent farmer and is a splendid young woman. Sometime time ago, she invested $500 of her saved earnings in a small farm. Later upon offering it for sale, she realized $700, a profit of $200. Recently she has purchased and paid cash for a 200 acre farm valued at $1,400, her savings having amounted to $1,200.

—Raleigh News and Observer: One of the signs that there is more money in the country than formely is that nearly every small town now has its own bank and the statements show that they are getting pretty good deposits, too. Mr. E. M. Koonce, member of the House from Onslow, who was in Raleigh yesterday, says that a new bank has been established at Jacksonville, and will soon open its doors, with Mr. Covington as cashier. Already there is a bank doing a fine business at Richlands of which General Julian S. Carr is president. Since the construction of the railroad from Dover to Richlands, that place has developed. It is situated in one of the most fertile farming sections of North Carolina. Two tobacco warehouses have been erected and are doing good business.

—Goldsboro correspondence, Sept. 26: In some parts of Wayne county the farmers have a custom of selling all or part of their cotton crop during the spring and summer months for a certain price to be delivered by the first of October. This year not a few took advantage of the offer of 10 cents a pound and sold to the buyers on this market. One young farmer, Joe Massey from near Princton, was in the city this morning with ten bales of cotton which he had sold during the summer to local buyers for ten cents a pound. He delivered up the ten bales and got his money, but in doing so he lost about twenty dollars, this being the difference between the price at which the staple is selling now and that for which he sold his last summer. He sold his when spot cotton was worth only eight cents, and he is not the only man in the country who did likewise.

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Attacked by a Mob

and beaten, in a labor riot, until covered with sores, a Chicago street car conductor applied Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and was soon sound and well. "I use it in my family," writes G. J. Welch, of Tekonsha, Mich., "and find it perfect." Simply great for cuts and burns. Only 25c at R. R. Bellamy's drug store. **

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ARMY SURGERY DEFENDED.

Proportional Battle Casualties in War With Spain Exagerated.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Detriot, Mich., Sept. 26.—An attack this afternoon by Dr. Charles F. Stokes, surgeon in the United States navy, upon statements made by Major Louis L. Seeman, of New York, in utterances contrasting the results obtained during the Russo-Japanese war by the Japanese medical officers with the medical history of the Spanish-American war and the Philippine insurrection, was the feature of the opening day of the fourteenth convention of the Association of Military Surgeons of the United States. Dr. Stokes quoted Dr. Seaman as stating that for a campaign lasting six weeks during the Spanish war the proportional battle casualties to those of disease were 1 to 14. He then quoted the report of the Secretary of War for 1898, and showing that this proportion was one to one and one-half.

Major Jefferson Randolph Kean, U. S. A., of Washington, D. C., was announced as the winner of the seaman prize for 1905. Major Kean's paper made a plea for the re-establishment of the canteen at army posts. Major Kean showed by statistics that since the abolishing of the canteens all kinds of diceases traceable to dissipation have increased among the soldiers of the regular army. The reason for this, he said, is that low groggeries have sprung up around army posts where soldiers drink to excess and then fall victims to disease.

At Berlin yesterday the official bulletin announced that eight fresh cases of cholera and three deaths had been reported from noon Friday to noon Saturday making the totals 243 cases and 81 deaths. Of these new cases one is in Berlin, the first which has occurred there. It is that of a canal boatman, who died Friday. He came from Landisburg on the river Warthe, where 3 or 4 cases of cholera have been discovered. The canal boat was moored in the heart of the city. Every arrangement was made at Berlin long ago to deal with cholera, so no concern can besaid to exist.

Two United States officers are expected at Montreal to-day, commissioned to escort Messrs. Gaynor and Greene to Savannah, Ga. Their case is now in the hands of the minister of justice at Otawa, and as the law governing the situation is very definite, he has no option, but to order their deliverance to the men appointed to receive them. It is not known whether their counsel will make any further effort to prevent their extradition.

LIFE.

I've studied life in its various vicissitudes,
I've parleyed with the populace and mingled with the throng
Till I think I understand 'em,
And I've made this memorandum—
When anything is pleasant it is likely to be wrong.
Only listen for a bit,
And I think you will admit
That although it's very trying
There is really no denying
If anything is pleasant it is likely to be wrong.

Oft as a child I would slyly steal forbidden jam,
Refuse to go to bed at eight or heed the rising gong.
I was always punished soundly,
And I realized profoundly
When anything is pleasant it is likely to be wrong.
Yes, I learned the hateful truth
When in days of early youth
I attempted to play hooky
Or appropriate a cooky—
When anything is pleasant it is likely to be wrong.

So in this life there is much that is forbidden us,
And many of our pleasures in this catalogue belong—
Overspending, overfeeding,
Loafing, flirting, racing, speeding—
When anything is pleasant it is likely to be wrong.
Now, I'm sure you will agree
This is true philosophy,
But if you are undecided,
Just apply this rule, as I did—
If anything is pleasant it is likely to be wrong.

—Carolyn Wells in New York Tribune.

The Reason.

Ethel—There goes Grace Stunnington. Don't you speak? Thought you were the best of friends.

Violet—So we were until some one told her what I said about her.

Willing to Demonstrate.

The lawyer was endeavoring to prove that the witness did not stick to the truth. The witness said he kept his money concealed about the house, some of it hidden in the stove and the rest in other queer places. The attorney glared at him fiercely.

"How did you get all that money?" he asked.

"Earned it," grunted the witness.

"But how did you earn it?" persisted the lawyer.

"Ain't I a roofer? Didn't I have a lot of contracts during the last three months?"

"But how could you earn $1,100 in three months?"

The witness looked at the lawyer with utmost contempt.

"You give me an order to roof your house, Mr. Lawyer, and I'll show you how I did it."—New York Press.

A Sport.

"So Mistah Erastus Pinkney is gwine tought married," said the coffee colored youth with the large scarfpin.

"Yes," was the answer. "Somebody done tol' him dat marriage was a lottery, an' he's sech a spoht dat he's boun' to take a chance."—Exchange.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over 60 years by millions of mothers for their children while teething, with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for Diarrhœa. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Sold by Druggists in every part of the world. Twenty-five cents bottle. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup," and take no other kind. **

Special Rate to Raleigh, N. C., via Seaboard account of the North Carolina State Fair, October 16th-25th, 1905.

The Seaboard announces they will sell excursion tickets from all points within the State of North Carolina, including Norfolk, Portsmouth, Richmond, Petersburg, Suffolk, Franklin and intermediate points in the State of Virginia, account of the State Fair October 16th-21st, for one first-class limited fare for round trip, plus fifty (50) cents for one admission to the Fair Grounds (minimum rate including admission coupon, $1.00).

The rates from the principal points will be as follows:

Portsmouth, Va.	$5.95
Norfolk, Va.	5.95
Suffolk, Va.	5.45
Franklin, Va.	4.95
Lewiston, N. C.	4.45
Rich Square, N. C.	4.45
Richmond, Va.	5.30
Petersburg, Va.	4.70
Weldon, N. C.	3.60
Oxford, N. C.	2.40
Henderson, N. C.	1.95
Sanford, N. C.	1.85
Hamlet, N. C.	3.60
Maxton, N. C.	4.35
Lumberton, N. C.	4.35
Wilmington, N. C.	4.80
Monroe, N. C.	5.85
Charlotte, N. C.	6.15
Lincolnton, N. C.	6.90
Rutherfordton, N. C.	8.45
Hickory, N. C.	6.90
Lenoir, N. C.	7.40

For Military Companies and brass bands in uniform, twenty or more on one ticket the following rates will apply for round trip.

Portsmouth, Va.	$3.55
Warren Plains, N. C.	1.25
Henderson, N. C.	.90
Oxford, N. C.	1.20
Louisburg, N. C.	.75
Franklinton, N. C.	.55
Sanford, N. C.	.85
Maxton, N. C.	2.10
Wilmington, N. C.	2.65
Charlotte, N. C.	3.50
Shelby, N. C.	4.55

The rates for Military Companies do not include admission to the Fair Grounds. Tickets will be sold October 13th to 20th, inclusive, and for trains arriving at Raleigh forenoon of the 21st, final limit of tickets October 23rd.

The Seaboard will arrange to operate special trains from Weldon, Oxford, Louisburg, Hamlet and intermediate points to Raleigh on Wednesday and Thursday October 18th and 19th.

For further information apply to nearest Ticket Agent, or address,

C. H. GATTIS,
Traveling Passenger Agent. Raleigh, N. C.
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WORKS WONDERS.

A Wonderful Compound. Cures Piles, Eczema, Skin Itching, Skin Eruptions, Cuts and Bruises.

Doan's Ointment is the best skin treatment, and the cheapest, because so little is required to cure. It cures piles after years of torture. It cures obstinate cases of eczema. It cures all skin itching. It cures skin eruptions. It heals cuts, bruises, scratches and abrasions without leaving a scar. It cures permanently. Wilmington testimony proves it.

J. S. King, clerk on Market streets, residing at 815 Orange street, says: "I used Doan's Ointment and found it to be a great remedy for itching hemorrhoids. It acted like a charm in my case. I tried all kinds of remedies, but until I used Doan's Ointment I could get nothing to give me positive relief. It is a splendid preparation and you are welcome to use my name as one who says so. I obtained it at R. R. Bellamy's drug store."

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Remember the name—DOAN'S—and take no other. **

Like Finding Money.

Finding health is like finding money—so think those who are sick. When you have a cough, cold, sore throat, or chest irritation, better act promtly like W. C. Barber, of Sandy Level, Va. He says: "I had a terrible chest trouble, caused by smoke and coal dust on my lungs; but, after finding no relief in other remedies, I was cured by Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds." Greatest sale of any cough or lung medicine in the world. At R. R. Bellamy drug store; 50c and $1.00; guaranteed. Trial bottle free.

Are You Engaged?

Engaged people should remember, that, after marriage, many quarrels can be avoided, by keeping their digestions in good condition with Electric Bitters. S. A. Brown, of Bennettsville, S. C., says: "For years, my wife suffered intensely from dyspepsia, complicated with a torpid liver, until she lost her strength and vigor and became a mere wreck of her former self. Then she tried Electric Bitters, which helped her at once, and finally made her entirely well. She is now strong and healthy." R. R. Bellamy, druggist, sells and guarantees them, at 50c a bottle. **

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This offer, as will be noted, is for a limited period only, and is made for the purpose of giving those who appreciate the value of a daily newspaper an opportunity to read the STAR for six months, or more, at a cost of about one and a quarter cents per copy, and then determine whether or not they will continue their subscription at the regular price.

No name will be entered on our books under this offer unless the order is accompanied with the cash.

While this proposition is made primarily to secure new subscribers, old subscribers outside the city may avail themselves of its advantages at the reduced rate provided they pay all arrearages and for not less than six months in advance.

On account of the heavy expense attached to our city circulation department this offer does not apply to city subscribers.

Sample copies mailed free to any address.

Note the conditions of this offer carefully to avoid mistakes.

DO YOU WANT

A girl for general housework? A sewing girl? A woman to wash? A man to attend to your furnace or help around the house?

Or do you want a situation? A room? Board or boarders? To rent a house?

Perhaps you have a house or lot for sale or exchange? Perhaps you want to buy or sell a horse?

You may want to buy or sell a piano, furniture, cameras, dishes, lawn mower, automobile, bath tub, parrot, dog, curtains, sewing machine, watch, diamonds, jewelry of any description, clock, buggy, shotgun, rifle, stove, tools?

STAR BUSINESS LOCALS

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COST ONE CENT A WORD!

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That your prescription has been filled from the purest drugs obtainable? Is it not a greater satisfaction to know that it was filled by a REGISTERED DRUGGIST? Your answer is bound to be Yes. Your Physician is also pleased, because he knows that he will get results from the medicine prescribed. There are two Registered Pharmacists in this store, and none but the purest drugs are used here. Phone us; We will send for your prescriptions.

JAMES M. HALL, Druggist, Cor. Fifth and Castle.

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Loans and Discounts	$1,080,300.49
Furniture and Fixtures	2.00
Cash on hand and due from banks	430,860.62
Total	$1,511,163.11

LIABILITIES.

Capital	$ 25,000.00
Profits, less taxes and expenses paid	100,873.77
Deposits	1,385,289.34
Total	$1,511,163.11

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Between Wilmington and New York.

Read Down			Read Up
12 25 p m	Lv.	New York Ar.	4 15 p m
2 55 p m	Lv.	Philadelphia Lv.	1 45 p m
5 10 p m	Lv.	Baltimore Lv.	11 30 a m
6 25 p m	Lv.	Washington Lv.	10 10 a m
10 00 p m	Lv.	Richmond Lv.	6 35 a m
3 35 a m	Lv.	Raleigh Lv.	1 30 a m
5 55 a m	Lv.	S'uth'n Pines Lv.	11 20 p m
8 56 a m	Lv.	Hamlet Lv.	10 10 p m
12 45 p m	Ar.	Wilmington Lv.	3 00 p m

Between Wilmington, Norfolk and Portsmouth.

Read Down			Read Up
8 24 p m	Lv.	Norfolk Ar.	8 30 a m
8 50 p m	Lv.	Portsmouth Ar.	8 00 a m
1 49 a m	Lv.	Henderson Lv.	2 57 a m
3 25 a m	Lv.	Raleigh Lv.	1 30 a m
8 40 a m	Ar.	Hamlet Lv.	10 35 a m
7 20 a m	Lv.	Hamlet Ar.	7 35 p m
12.45 p m	Ar.	Wilmington Lv.	3.00 p m

Between Wilmington, Atlanta and Birmingham.

Read Down			Read Up
6 20 a m	Lv.	Birmingham Ar.	9.25 p m
12.00 m	Ar.	Atlanta Lv.	3.55 p m
8 00 p m	Lv.	Atlanta Ar.	7 40 a m
11 23 p m	Lv.	Athens Lv.	6 08 a m
1 56 a m	Lv.	Greenwood Lv	3 35 a m
4 06 a m	Lv.	Chester Lv.	1 20 a m
7.10 a m	Ar.	Hamlet Lv.	10.15 p m
8 40 a m	Lv.	Hamlet Ar.	7 35 p m
12 45 p m	Ar.	Wilmington Lv.	3 00 p m

Between Wilmington, Savannah, Montgomery, Jacksonville and Tampa.

Read Down			Read Up
8 30 a m	Lv.	Tampa Ar.	6 35 p m
1 57 p m	Lv.	Tallahasse Ar.	2 20 p m
5 24 p m	Ar.	Jacksonville Lv.	10 00 a m
7 50 p m	Lv.	Jacksonville Ar.	8 55 a m
12 10 a m	Lv.	Savannah Lv.	4 50 a m
5 30 a m	Lv.	Columbia Lv.	12 30 a m
6 24 a m	Lv.	Camden Lv.	12 24 a m
8 35 a m	Ar.	Hamlet Lv.	10 15 p m
8 40 a m	Lv.	Hamlet Ar.	7 35 p m
12 45 p m	Ar.	Wilmington Lv.	3 00 p m

Between Wilmington, Hamlet, Charlotte and Rutherfordton.

Read Down			Read Up
		Rutherf'd'tn Lv.	
	3 40 p	Ar. Lv.	2 05 p
		Shelby	
	4 50 p	Lv. Lv.	12.45 p
		Lincoln'n	
	5 47 p	Lv. Lv.	11 43 a
		Charlotte	
	7 23 p	Ar. Lv.	10 08 a
		Charlotte	
	5 01 a	Lv. Ar.	10 45 p
		Monroe	
	5 45 a	Lv. Lv.	9 55 p
		Hamlet	
	7 20 a	Ar. Lv.	7 55 p
		Hamlet	
4 40 p	8 40 a	Lv. Ar.	7 35 p 11 05 a
		Maxton	
25 p	9 25 a	Lv. Lv.	6 40 p 10 18 a
		Lumberton	
10 p	10 15 a	Lv. Lv.	5 26 p 9 31 a
		Clarkton	
55 p	11 03 a	Lv. Lv.	4 40 p 8 42 a
		Wilmington	
8 50 p	12 45 p	Ar. Lv.	3 00 p 7 00 a

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Raleigh, N. C.

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Atlantic & North Carolina R. R.

Schedule Effective Sept. 17, 1905.

No. 1 Daily.	No. 3 Daily.		No. 2 Daily.	No. 4 Daily.
		Eastern Time.		
A. M.	P. M.		A. M.	P. M.
8 00	3 45	Lv Goldsboro Ar	11 20	7 50
8 21	4 06	Lv Best's Ar	10 58	7 29
8 31	4 18	Lv LaGrange Ar	10 47	7 18
8 43	4 30	Lv Fall'g Cr'k Ar	10 35	7 05
8 56	4 55	Lv Kinston Ar	10 22	6 52
9 13	4 57	Lv Caswell Ar	10 03	6 38
9 23	5 07	Lv Dover Ar	9 58	6 28
9 41	5 21	Lv Cove Ar	9 41	6 02
10 10	5 52	Ar Newbern Lv	9 10	5 40
10 15	5 57	Lv Newbern Ar	9 05	5 35
10 24	6 20	Lv Riverdale Ar	8 03	5 12
10 38	6 24	Lv Croatan Ar	8 39	5 09
10 50	6 38	Lv Havelock Ar	8 27	4 57
11 06	6 54	Lv Newport Ar	8 11	4 41
11 12	7 00	Lv Wildwood Ar	8 05	4 35
11 30	7 20	Ar Mo'h'd C'y Lv	7 50	4 20
11 40	7 30	Ar M. C'ty D'pt	7 40	4 10

Trains Nos. 1 and 4 connect at Goldsboro with Atlantic Coast Line trains as follows: No. 41, southbound; No. 42, northbound, and with Southern Railway trains Nos. 113, westbound, and No. 136, eastbound.

Trains Nos. 2 and 3 connect at Goldsboro with Southern Railway trains as follows: No. 138, eastbound; No. 135, westbound, and with Atlantic Coast Line trains as follows: No. 49, southbound, and No. 48, northbound.

Pullman Sleeping Car and Parlor Car service has been discontinued for the season.

R. E. L. BUNCH,
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Thursday, October 19th, will be President's Day, on which day President Roosevelt will be the guest of the Fair, being at Raleigh from 9:00 A. M. to 1:00 P. M. The feature of this day will be an address by the President at 11:30 A. M. This is an opportunity that should not be missed by the Public; a chance to visit Raleigh and the Fair, which is the largest in the State, at such an exceptionally low rate.

For further information, 'Phone No. 160.

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To The Beach and Wrightsville.

Suburban Trolley Schedule.

In Effect June 1, 1905.

Front & Princess Sts. Wilmington. Leave.		The Pavilion Wrightsville Beach. Leave.
	(Daily)	6:00 A. M.
6:30 A. M.	(Daily ex. Sun.)	7:15 A. M.
7:00 A. M.	(Daily)	7:45 A. M.
7:30 A. M.	(Daily ex. Sun.)	8:15 A. M.
8:00 A. M.	(Daily)	8:45 A. M.
8:00 A. M.	"	9:15 A. M.
8:30 A. M.	"	9:45 A. M.
9:00 A. M.	"	10:15 A. M.
9:30 A. M.	"	10:45 A. M.
10:00 A. M.	"	11:15 A. M.
10:30 A. M.	"	11:45 A. M.
11:00 A. M.	"	12:15 P. M.
11:30 A. M.	"	12:45 P. M.
12:00 M.	"	1:15 P. M.
12:30 P. M.	"	1:45 P. M.
1:00 P. M.	"	2:15 P. M.
1:30 P. M.	"	2:45 P. M.
2:00 P. M.	"	3:15 P. M.
2:30 P. M.	"	3:45 P. M.
3:00 P. M.	"	4:15 P. M.
3:30 P. M.	"	4:45 P. M.
4:00 P. M.	"	5:15 P. M.
4:30 P. M.	"	5:45 P. M.
5:00 P. M.	"	6:15 P. M.
5:30 P. M.	"	6:45 P. M.
6:00 P. M.	"	7:15 P. M.
6:30 P. M.	"	7:45 P. M.
7:00 P. M.	"	8:15 P. M.
7:30 P. M.	"	8:45 P. M.
8:00 P. M.	"	9:15 P. M.
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9:30 P. M.	"	10:45 P. M.
10:00 P. M.	"	11:15 P. M.
10:30 P. M.	"	11:45 P. M.
11:00 P. M.	"	
12:15 P. M.	Owl Car	

A. C. L. & S. A. L. CONNECTIONS.

Trains Arriving Wilmington.		Due at Beach.
A. C. L.	10:00 A. M.	11:05 A. M.
A. C. L.	12:30 P. M.	1:35 P. M.
S. A. L.	12:45 P. M.	1:35 P. M.
A. C. L.	1:40 P. M.	2:35 P. M.
A. C. L.	6:00 P. M.	7:05 P. M.
A. C. L.	8:00 P. M.	9:05 P. M.
S. A. L.	8:50 P. M.	9:35 P. M.
A. C. L.	11:45 P. M.	12:45 A. M.

Trains Leaving Wilmington.		Leave Beach.
S. A. L.	7:00 A. M.	6:00 A. M.
A. C. L.	8:50 A. M.	7:45 A. M.
A. C. L.	9:00 A. M.	7:45 A. M.
A. C. L.	2:25 P. M.	12:15 P. M.
S. A. L.	3:00 P. M.	1:45 P. M.
A. C. L.	3:45 P. M.	2:45 P. M.
A. C. L.	6:50 P. M.	5:45 P. M.

Baggage leaving the Beach must be checked at least 15 minutes before leaving time of baggage car.

FREIGHT.

Daily Except Sunday.

Ninth & Orange Sts. Wilmington. Leave.	The Pavilion Wrightsville Beach Leave.
10:30 A. M.	7:45 A. M.
1:30 P. M.	12:15 P. M.
4:00 P. M.	2:15 P. M.
8:30 P. M.	5:45 P. M.

Freight depot open from 8:30 A. M. to 8:30 P. M., daily except Sunday.

Freight not received within 20 minutes of leaving time will be carried on next regular train.

Atlantic Coast Line

Schedule in Effect, June 6, 1905.

NORTHBOUND.

	No. 48	No. 42
Lv. Wilmington	3 00 a m	6 50 p m
Ar. Goldsboro	5 12 p m	9 32 p m
Ar. Wilson	6 16 p m	10 25 p m
Ar. Rocky Mount	6 55 p m	11 10 p m
Ar. Norfolk	5 55 p m	
Ar. Weldon	4 58 p m	1 47 a m
Ar. Petersburg	6 55 p m	3 23 a m
Ar. Richmond	8 45 p m	4 07 a m
Ar. Washington	11 50 p m	7 54 a m
Ar. Baltimore	1 43 a m	9 09 a m
Ar. Philadelphia	4 25 a m	11 22 a m
Ar. New York	7 30 a m	2 00 p m

SOUTHBOUND.

	No. 41	No. 49
Lv. New York	9 35 a m	4 25 p m
Ar. Philadelphia	11 55 a m	12 01 a m
Ar. Baltimore	2 07 p m	2 32 a m
Ar. Washington	3 27 p m	3 45 a m
Ar. Norfolk		8 40 a m
Lv. Richmond	2 25 p m	9 05 a m
Ar. Petersburg	3 05 p m	9 45 a m
Ar. Weldon	4 51 p m	11 44 a m
Ar. Rocky Mount	11 00 p m	1 10 p m
Ar. Wilson	11 32 p m	2 05 p m
Ar. Goldsboro	6 58 a m	3 10 p m
Ar. Wilmington	10 00 a m	6 00 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH SOUTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.	Daily. via Wilson
Lv. Wilmington	9 00 am	2 45 pm	6 50 pm
Ar. Florence	9 35 am	3 40 pm	3 55 pm
Ar. Charleston	1 20 pm	11 40 pm	6

The Morning Star.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

Thursday Morning, Sept. 28.

JAPANESE NAVAL SURGERY.

Mikado's Surgeon General Gives Pointers to World.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Detroit, Mich., Sept. 27.—Surgeon General Suzuki, of the Japanese navy, today in his address before the fourteenth convention of the Military Surgeons of the United States, made what was declared by Medical Director J. S. Wise, of the United States navy, to be the most valuable contribution of modern times to naval surgery.

"Much of our success in the treatment of wounds," said Dr. Suzuki, "I ascribe to the fact that before every engagement I ordered each member of the crew to bathe and put on perfectly clean underclothing. In a great many shot-wounds, fragments of clothing are carried into the body, and our insistence upon clean underclothing prevented many cases of blood poisoning among our wounded.

"Our experience during the war proved that the conning tower of a warship is a most dangerous situation. Fragments of shell penetrate through the slits in the tower made to furnish the commanding officer a range of vision, and do great damage. Realizing this fact, Admiral Togo in all the naval engagements directed his fleet from the compass bridge of the Mikasa without receiving at any time the slightest wound.

"The vision of the men who fire the guns on a warship must necessarily be of the very best if their shots are to count. Before every engagement the surgeons in the Japanese fleets examind carefully the eyes of all the gunners. Any of them found with slight impairment of vision were treated and if the impairment was too grave to yield to immediate treatment they were transferred to another station and their places filled by men whose eyes were perfect. And, too, during engagements, every battery crew was supplied with water in which a one per cent. solution of boracic acid had been mixed to wash out their eyes when they became affected by powder smoke or dust. We also issued to every man in the fleets before going into action cotton wool with which to plug his ears and thereby prevent rupture of ear drums by the concussion of gun fire."

SAVANNAH HARBOR SWINDLERS.

Strong Showing Against Carter—Extradition of Greene and Gaynor.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Chicago, Sept. 27.—Attorneys for the Federal government to-day made a vigorous attack on the defense of former Captain Oberlin M. Carter, charged with defrauding the government out of $2,500,000. Circumstantial evidence was introduced to show that on several occasions when large payments were made to Gaynor and Greene, the government contractors, Carter deposited money alleged to be his share of the division of the profits, to his credit in a New York bank. The defendant and his attorney objected to the introduction of this documentary evidence, consisting of bank checks and deposit slips, the objection being based on the ground that there was no record in the case that Carter ever received money from the contractors.

Ottawa, Ont., Sept. 27.—The writ for the extradition of Gaynor and Greene probably will be issued to-morrow unless some further methods of delaying proceedings can be discovered. The report of the extrdition commissioner recommending the issuing of the warrant and all other papers in the case, are before the department of justice. The writ of extradition is ready for the signature of the minister, Mr. Fitzpatrick, who is in Quebec to-day, but will be here to-morrow. It is expected the warrant will then be signed and the men delivered up to the United States officers.

GEORGIAN ASSASSINATED.

Shot While Seated at Table Eating Supper.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Waycross, Ga., September 27.—David H. Murray, a well known citizen of Ware county, was assassinated about 7 o'clock yesterday evening at his home at Millwood, in this county, Murray was shot in the back of the head with a double barrel shot gun which nearly tore the head from the body. The assassin fired at Murray while he was seated at his table eating supper, through a hole in the door, and made his escape. The dead man was about 38 years old and leaves a wife and one child. He was under bond in connection with the murder of a young man named Horace Roberts in this county some two years ago. A true bill was found against Murray, charging him with being an accessory to the murder of young Roberts.

WARM WIRELETS.

At New York yesterday the honorary degree of doctor of laws was conferred by Columbia University on Baron Komura and Sergius Witte, the senior peace plenipotentiaries of Japan and Russia.

At Pensacola last night the city council passed the "Jim Crow" street car ordinance over the Mayor's veto by a unanimous vote. Mayor Bliss vetoed the ordinance on the ground that the section exempting negro nurses, when accompanied by white charges, from the operations of the law was unconstitutional. The ordinance will go into effect in ten days.

At Jackson, Miss., last night Governor Vardaman announced that he has accepted an invitation from Chairman Van Diver of the Democratic Executive Committee of Maryland, to make several campaign addresses in that State during the campaign, for "white supremacy." Governor Vardaman expects to go to Maryland during the latter part of October, after the quarantine here are raised.

A victory was scored to-day by United States District Attorney C. B. Morrison, in his struggle to bring to a successful finish the prosecution of the meat packers. During the argument against a demurrer filed by Attorney Morrison, against the plea in abatement filed some time ago by the defending attorneys. The question of the right of the packers to appear in court at the time of the impanelling of the Federal grand jury to challenge jurors as they were impanelled, was raised, and Judge Humphrey decided in favor of the government.

SECRETARY TAFT BACK FROM EAST

Gives Out Interview About Political Situation in the Philippine Islands

NOT VERY BRIGHT PICTURE

Ladronism, Another Word for Insurrection, Still Exists in Two Provinces and One Island—Filipinos Want Independence.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

San Francisco, September 27.—In an interview with an Associated Press representative Secretary of War W. H. Taft, who arrived today on the steamship Korea from the Philippines, after describing various incidents of the trip to Japan, referred to the political situation in the Philippines, saying:

"The political situation in some respects was not as good as it ought to be. A wave of Ladronism has swept over the province of Cavite and it has been found necessary to suspend the writ of habeas corpus in the province of Cavite and Batangas, the neighboring province. The same was true of Samar, but the use of troops on Samar and the use of the scouts and constabulary in Cavite has put an end to this business; however, there were two or three men responsible for the keeping up of the Ladronism, who have not been captured. Complaints were made against the constabulary, and while many of them were unfounded, it was probably true that a change in the constabulary ought to be effected, and it is now under consideration by the government. The distressing agricultural depression, due to the loss of 75 per cent. of the agricultural cattle, drouth, locusts and the cholera, as well as other causes, will probably not cease to be for several years. This naturally subjects the government to criticism because this alien government is much more likely to be criticised for existing conditions, however free from blame in respect to them, than a native government.

Want Independence.

"Some of the younger men of education have been advocating immediate independence. It therefore became necessary to state with considerable emphasis the policy of the administration on this subject and to say that in the opinion of the administration there was no possible hope for independence short of a generation because the people could not be fitted for self-government in that time; indeed, it will probably take a much longer period.

"The party consisted, as is known, of Democratic as well as Republican Senators and Congressmen, and they in interviews represent all sides of the Philippine questions, but, with a self-restraint moderation which cannot be too highly commended, it was tactily agreed between the members of the congressional party on both sides that it would be most unwise for them to discuss before the Filipinos their differences of opinion and therefore that any statement should be made by the representative of the administration as to the policy of political administration. Hence the sight which some of the irreconcilable Filipinos had hoped for, to wit: A constant combat between Republican and Democratic members, with the Filipinos people as an audience, was not presented, and I cannot express too emphatically my appreciation of the patriotic stand which our Democratic brethren took in this matter in remanding difference of opinion to the proper representatives in Congress.

Conditions Hopeful.

"While the conditions in the Philippines are not as favorable as we would like to have them and probably will not be favorable until the depressing conditions shall be followed by a prosperous season, still progress is being made. The government is more efficient; inefficient men are being eliminated and things are settling down to business. Economy is being practiced more and more in the government. Filipinos are being introduced very rapidly to the place of the Americans and on the whole, in looking back over two years, decided steps forward have been taken.

"Of the questions which were open when we started on this trip and in the settlement of which it was hoped the trip might lend aid, one was the establishment of a special tribunal for the hearing of disputed questions in relation to possession of churches and rectories and cemeteries. I am glad to say that before we reached the islands a satisfactory law had been enacted which it is hoped will rapidly dispose of these cases. The law refers the issues directly to the Supreme Court.

"There was also remaining unsettled a question about the title to one-half of the Friar's Islands—those owned previously by the Dominican order. After a conference with the representive of the vendors a satisfactory compromise was effected by which good title to the lands will be immediately conveyed to the government and possession given, as far as that posession is in the vendors, and the difference as to price, a matter of some $200,000, will be left to adjustment by arbitration.

The Chinese Boycott.

"With reference to the boycott in Canton and China, I am not sufficiently advised to speak with great authority. My impression is that it will fade out because of the necessity that the Chinese merchants are under of patronizing America to sell what will be in great demand in Manchuria. Chinese merchants themselves are losing money, and their influence is not likely to further it. Suggestions were made of possible amendments in the exclusion laws which without in anyway opening the doors to the Coolie class would remove the stigma which the present regulations, it is insisted, put upon the classes entitled to enter. I have those suggestions from merchants in Hong Kong and elsewhere and shall present them to the President. The President's proclamation and assurance that justice would be done the Chinese had an excellent effect.

Dissatisfaction in Japan.

"Many of the people in Japan are disappointed at the terms of peace, but the great sober majority of that people, I am sure, are deeply grateful that peace has come and grateful to President Roosevelt for his assistance in bringing it about and conscious of the fact that Japan was under a great strain and that true statesmanship required that when she could make an honorable peace she should do so. There is not, in my judgment, the slightest fear that the people of Japan will not continue to be as friendly to America and Americans as our reception in July showed that they were then.

"Of course it is too soon to speak of probable legislation by Congress upon Philippine matters, but I am sure that the trip has added greatly to the interest in Philippine questions which will be taken by members of Congress who were in the party, and that the more accurate information which they now have will lead to wise and intelligent legislation."

FEVER SITUATION AT VARIOUS POINTS

Only 19 New Cases, But 5 Deaths in New Orleans Yesterday—Preparing for Roosevelt.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

New Orleans, September 27.—The following is the official yellow fever record at New Orleans up to 6 P. M. yesterday:

New cases to-day, 19.
Total cases to date, 2,918.
Deaths to-day, 5.
Total deaths to date, 380.
New disease centers, 5.
Cases under treatment, 272.
Discharged, 2,266.

The remarkable feature of the yellow fever report to-day is the small number of cases, the smallest reported on any day since the early days of August. The death list is still holding on, as it always towards the end of an epidemic. Among the deaths are those of two negroes. The chapel of the Convent of Perpetual Adoration on Marais street was fumigated today. No more cases have developed there.

The news from the country indicates a steady improvement at all of the old points of infection, though two of the recently discovered points are beginning to show activity. The country reports showed 54 new cases and 3 deaths.

The heaviest rainfall that New Orleans has had for many weeks, began today before daylight. It rained steadily for more than two hours, completely flushing the gutters. How much damage was done to cistern screens it is difficult to say, but all the oil and a good deal of the salt in the gutters was washed away. Nevertheless the fever fight is now considered to be so well in hand that even the creation of fresh breeding places for mosquitoes causes little alarm.

The new mosquito ordinance has been passed by the City Council. It represents the work of the best sanitarians, lawyers and officials here, and has the endorsement of the Federal authorities, who were consulted in its preparation.

Fumigating gangs were to-day put to work in the various public school buildings with a view to their complete disinfection in time for the opening on Monday. There are about sixty buildings which will have to be treated. Second Vice President J. T. Harahan, of the Illinois Central railroad reached here to-day and went immediately to the Stuyvesant docks for an inspection of the work of re-building there. Everything has been hurried in order that the road may be able to handle its export trade without interruption. Mr. Harahan found the facilities ample for handling the immense grain, cotton and other traffic which has already started this way.

President's Visit.

The plans arranged for the President's entertainment if he comes here on October 24th, have been arranged with a view to his protection, and he will not be taken into any of the infected districts. He is to have a military and civic reception, to be escorted from his train to the city hall, where he is to make an address to the citizens, then taken to his hotel, where there is to be a banquet at night and the following morning is to have a ride through the harbor on an ocean steamer before he beards his special train on his departure.

Mississippi Conditions.

Jackson, Miss., Sept. 27.—The Mississippi yellow fever summary tonight is as follows: Hamburg, 1 new case, 1 suspect. Vicksburg, 5 cases, 4 deaths. Natchez, 3 new cases, 1 death. Gulfport, 4 new cases, no deaths. Two new foci. Mississippi City, 1 new case, suspicious case. Roxie, no new cases, no deaths.

Pearlington is free of infection, twenty days having elapsed since the last case was reported.

Six More Cases at Pensacola.

Pensacola, Fla., Sept. 27.—Six new cases and two deaths is the total of the fever history to-day. No new foci have developed. The suspicious cases reported from Milton and Bluff Springs, proved to be malaria. The authorities are proceeding with their usual precautionary measures.

FOUGHT PISTOL DUEL.

Two Express Messengers Engage in Singular Combat.

By Wire to The Morning Star

Decatur, Ills., Sept. 27.—John E. Ryan, of Chicago, Pacific express messenger on the Wabash passenger train No. 13 and Edward Greene, also of Chicago, a former express messenger, fought with pistols in Ryan's car today. Both were seriously wounded and may die. Conflicting stories are told by the combatants. Greene says that he got on the express car, intending to go to his home at Pittsfield to visit relatives. He was an old friend of Ryan and Greene claims he permitted him to ride. Greene says he assisted Ryan with the express matter and that they then began drinking. Jokes led to a quarrel and Greene says he and Ryan drew pistols at the same time.

Ryan's story is that he did not see Greene in the car until the train reached Cerro Gordo. Believing that Greene jumped in for the purpose of robbery Ryan fired at him. According to Ryan they clinched and both of them with revolvers drawn, rolled about on the car floor. Finally separating each sought shelter in the car and waited for the other to expose himself. Just as the train was near Decatur, Ryan says, he and Greene fired and both went down but were on their feet in a short time and the duel continued until the train reached the outskirts of Decatur when Greene opened a door and jumped from the car. Greene was unable to run and was found an hour later by the police.

Warranty Deeds for sale at the Star office. tf**

SYNDICATE DEALS BEING PROBED

Transactions in Atlantic Coast Line Stock Figured in Insurance Investigation

FISHY EQUITABLE AFFAIRS

Loan of $626,096 for Society in Name of Clerk—Hundreds of Thousands of Dollars Not Accounted For.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

New York, Sept. 27.—To-day's session of the Legislative Committee to investigate insurance methods was given over to the matter of syndicate transactions of the Equitable Life Assurance Society. Henry R. Winthrop, assistant secretary and financial manager of the Society, was again on the witness stand, and many of his statements were accompanied by typewritten documents giving the various transactions in detail. It was brought out that in one of these syndicates, Senator Depew was a participant to the extent of $100,000 and the Senator was requested to appear before the committee.

Mr. Winthrop was unable to find where a record of the profits from a number of the syndicate transactions was made, and expert accountants now at work on the books of the Society are expected to unearth these later.

The witness detailed a number of loans to the Equitable Trust and Mercantile Trust Companies as well as the sharing of these companies in syndicate transactions with the Society.

Later in the day, Henry Greaves, who was a clerk for George H. Squire, formerly a number of the Finance Committee, was called to supply some information regarding the "George H. Squire trustee" account, and from him it was learned that there were a number of those accounts. There was besides the "George H. Squire trustee" account, the "Marcellus Hartley trustee" account and another, the "J. W. Alexander trustee" account. Mr. Greaves produced a bank book of of the Squire account, and by means of it Mr. Hughes tried to trace amounts that would correspond to profits to this account; but the witness could not remember the items or the amounts deposited. Mr. Greaves was still on the stand when the session adjourned for the day.

Mr. Greaves, however, gave way temporarily to Mr. Winthrop, while Mr. Hughes queeried further regarding syndicates. Mr. Winthrop was asked to furnish a list of the individual participants in syndicates, and said that President Morton was preparing such a statement Mr. Winthrop said he had not positive information of the "James H. Hyde and associates" syndicates, but he expects to have. Mr. Winthrop said that in the Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington and Long Island fours syndicate, managed by Kuhn, Loeb & Co., there were two participants, one of $500,000, the other of $100,000. The Society derived profits of $2,386 on the $100,000, while J. W. Alexander, J. H. Hyde, J. H. Squire and W. H. Squire divided the profits on the $500, 000. The Equitable put up $218,000. It has received no interest, neither has the money been returned, and when asked if the matter has been called to the attention of these gentlemen, Mr. Winthrop said, "It will be."

Mr. Winthrop knew nothing about an Atlantic Coast Line syndicate operation of "J. H. Hyde and associates." During the questioning of Mr. Winthrop on the syndicate, it was brought out that the Equitable Trust Company loaned the Equitable Life Assurance Society $626,096 in the name of a clerk, E. Barrington. Witness said this loan did not appear on the books of the Equitable Life.

Upon questioning by several members of the committee witness said Barrington was employed as an advertising manager and was under the direction of the president. His salary is about $2,000 or $2,500 a year.

Mr. Winthrop was questioned further concerning the Atlantic Coast Line syndisate, which was managed by J. P. Morgan & Co., and in which the Society received a part of what was allotted to James H. Hyde and associates.

What papers have you with regard to this syndicate?" asked Mr. Hughes.

"Two vouchers, one for payment to J. P. Morgan & Co., of $750,000; the other of $626,096 to the Equitable Trust Company."

"Why was there a payment to the Equitable Trust Company?"

"It was put there as a loan. The note of Eugene Barrington, clerk in the Equitable, was given for a loan and the payment was in re-payment of the loan."

In the Southern Railway syndicate, there was a participation of $250,000 in the name of James H. Hyde and associates, and in the International Merchant Marine syndicate, there was a participation on the part of James H. Hyde and associates of $500,000. The participation was turned over to the Society.

Jacob H. Schiff, of Kuhn, Loeb & Co., was subpoenaed to-day, and it is expected he will appear to testify tomorrow or Friday.

Mr. Schiff will be asked about the transactions of his firm with the New York Life Insurance Company as well as with the Equitable Life Assurance Society.

BASEBALL YESTERDAY.

American.

Washington, 6; Cleveland, 0.
First game: Boston, 2; Chicago, 0.
Second game: Boston, 1; Chicago, 15.
Philadelphia, 7; Detroit, 8.
New York, 2; St. Louis, 7.

National.

Pittsburg, 3; New York, 5.
Chicago, 7; Brooklyn, 2.
St. Louis, 0; Philadelphia, 6.
Cincinnati, 10; Boston, 14.

FOOTBALL.

Princeton, 41; Villa Nova, 0.
Cornell, 5; Hamilton, 0.
Darmouth, 34; Norwich, 0.
Syracuse University, 24; Hobart, 0.
University of Virginia, 59; Randolph Macon, 0.

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TYPHOON AT MANILA WAS DESTRUCTIVE

Army Post With Four Companies Swept Away—Property Loss Was Large—Ship Sunk.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Washington, September 27.—The military secretary has received the following cablegram from General Corbin, commanding the Philippine division, regarding the typhoon yesterday at Manila:

"Manila, September 27.—The worst storm of years obtained here yesterday, passing during the night. Considerable damage was done by the unroofing of buildings. The post at Malahi is reported totally destroyed. Further reports when the facts are known."

The following cablegram also has been received at the Navy Department from Admiral Reiter, commanding the Asiatic fleet:

"The Leyte, which was out of commission, was sunk in the harbor and lost in the hurricane of September 26."

The Leyte was a gunboat of 150 tons. She was one of the vessels belonging to Spain which were taken possession of by the navy at the close of war. She was in bad condition and it is said at the Navy Department that she was practically worthless.

The post at Malahi, referred to by General Corbin, is 31 miles from Manila, in Laguana province. The garrison consisted of four companies, E., F., G., and H., sixteenth infantry, according to the last reports received at the War Department. There is also a military prison at Malahi.

The garrison on Malahi island on July 31 of the present year when the last report was made, consisted of fourteen officers, two hundred and sixty-seven enlisted men and ninety general prisoners. The officers are Captains C. P. George and J. F. Gohn; First Lieutenants C. L. McKain, L. L. Roach, P. L. Smith and C. B. Stone, Jr.; Second Lieutenants L. Solaeliac, W. O. Boswell, J. W. Hyatt, F. W. Boschen, N. W. Riley; Captain C. E. B. Floagg, Lieutenant P. W. Huntington, surgeons, and E. P. Tignor, contract dental surgeon.

Another dispatch to the Navy Department from Commander John B. Milton, commandant of the naval station at Cavite, was received later in the day and stated that the hurricane did $90,000 damage to the buildings, plant, yard and craft.

BOSTON SUIT CASE MURDER.

Man Found Who Sold Case to Excited Stranger.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Boston, Mass., September 27.—No progress in the solution of the suit case mystery seemed evident today, though the police were hopeful of obtaining early results from their investigation. A search of Winthrop Cove by divers for the head and limb of the victim of the tragedy was resumed. The State police received from the Harvard Medical School today the probable measurements of the woman body in life. They were deduced from the most carely measurements of the torso and calculated by ruled declared by experts to be infallible. The report says that the woman was five feet, four inches in height, not less than 18 nor more than 26 years of age and from 130 to 140 pounds in weight.

The police announced officially the name of the man who last week sold the suit case as Joseph Berkman, mem ber of a south end firm of pawnbrokers. Berkman purchased the case about nine months ago in the course of business. The early part of last week a man who entered his shop in an excited condition, asked to be shown suit cases. He wanted two, he said, and wanted them badly and one of them must be strongly constructed. He was shown a big second hand suit case, which Berkman has identified as the one which contained the torso of the girl victim. This was purchased quickly as well as a smaller case. Berkman furnished a description of the man.

A man's mackintosh was found on the Winthrop shore today by the captain of a barge who picked up the coat not far from where the mysterious suit case was found. The captain reported that he had seen a large package on the bottom of the water near where he found the mackintosh. This package, the police thought, might contain the missing head and limbs of victim. On the coat was found a strand of light colored hair similar to that found in the suit case in which the woman's body was found. Stains believed to be blood spots were also found on the mackintosh.

BEEF TRUST INVESTIGATION.

Prominent Packer to Be Witness Against Armour & Co.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Chicago, Sept. 27.—Max Sulzeberger, Chicago, vice president of the Schwarzschild & Sulzeberger Packing Company, and E. B. Fish, who is one of the traffic officials of the company, it is announced today, have been subpoenaed by the government as witnesses in the beef trust cases to testify against Armour & Co., and the other defendants.

Two other employes of the Schwarzschild & Sulzeberger Company have also been subpoenaed by the government. Officials of the Schwarzschild & Sulzeberger Company pleaded guilty recently to charges of conspiracy to illegally obtaining railway rebates. The offenders through pleading guilty escaped imprisonment, being sentenced to pay fines aggregating $25,000.

The subpoenaes made public today were served some weeks ago, but the matter was kept secret. Traffic Manager E. B. Fish who has been subpoenaed is the witness whom, it was charged in an indictment, Attorney Joseph Weisselbach and three other men spirited away to Canada. Government secret service men worked on the case for a long time and finally reported that Sulzeberger and the other three attaches of the company are in possession of facts concerning a meeting of packing officials held within the past year, almost within the time of the grand jury investigation. The details of this alleged meeting it is hoped, by the prosecution, will be exposed before the jury which tries the packers. Attorney Weissenbach today, however, strenuously denied that the Schwarzschild & Sulzeberger Company is turning state's evidence in order to "get even" with the other packing companies. He declared that the witnesses would go on the stand under protest.

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CUBAN REVOLUTION SIGNS.

Italian Agitator Deported—Arms and Dynamite Discovered.

By Cable to The Morning Star.

Budapest, Hungary, Sept. 27.—Between forty and fifty persons were injured in riots here this evening when socialists and adherents of the coalition parties, including students clashed opposite the Royal Hotel and for two hours there were scenes of tremendous excitement. The Royal Hotel is the headquarters of the Independence Club in which is the council room of the coalition leaders.

The students and other supporters of the coalition had arranged for a gigantic torchlight parade tonight, but during the day the socialists issued inflammatory proclamations calling on all socialists and others opposed to the coalition to gather and fight for their rights, which they said the coalition was trying to side track under cover of an alleged affront by the King Emperor to the whole nation.

Owing to these proclamations the coalition leaders decided to postponed the torchlight procession seeking thus to avoid bloodshed. At 8 o'clock about 1,500 socialists gathered outside the Independence Club and announced their intention of entering and tearing down the council room. A large force of police was present and was assisted by 150 prominent citizens.

The mob made an effort to enter but was vigorously opposed by the police. A fight ensued and amid the wildest clamor a number of persons were stabbed, but the socialists were finally scattered. Fifteen minutes later, however, the socialists again gathered. By this time adherents of the coalition in large numbers appeared upon the scene and their appearance resulted in a free fight between the two masses of humanity which surged in every direction shouting and singing the Marseillaise and other songs. Knives and sticks, stones and revolvers were used vigorously.

It is reported that over 40 persons were wounded, eight of them seriously. There were no deaths. Scattered fights continued in different quarters and a section of the socialists marched to a building in which is published a newspaper that supports the coalition where they broke the windows and attempted to gain an entrance. The mob was held back by the police while the printers and editors threw furniture from the windows on the heads of the crowd. Here, too, a number of persons received wounds. Finally quiet was restored and up to 10 o'clock there was no renewal of the disorders.

It is not thought the rioting of tonight will have any effect on the general situation which certainly has grown worse while the feeling through out Hungary against the dynasty is increasing. The crisis undoubtedly is a serious one.

Fast Run on Coast Line.

A special A. C. L. train from Rocky Mount to Charleston, S. C., carrying Dr. Chas. McGahan to the death bed of his father, Mr. T. R. McGahan, of Charleston, made the phenomenal record night before last of 173 miles in 213 minutes of actual running time. The fastest time was made from Fayetteville to Dillon 53 1-2 miles in 53 minutes. From Florence Engineer Jaegar was given a clear road and reached Lanes at 6:28 P. M., or 50 miles in 50 minutes, and Charleston at 7:42 being 104 miles in 124 minutes including all stops and slow downs. From Rocky Mount to Florence the train was in charge of Conductor D. J. St. George with Engineer L. A. Clay, and left Rocky Mount at 1:35 P. M. Conductor John A. Cutts was in charge from Florence to Charleston.

Objected to Negro Employe.

Because a negro was put at work temporarily at a bench in the woodworking plant of Mr. W. J. Reaves Tuesday afternoon, six white employes of the shop struck yesterday morning and refused to go to work. However, after a conference with Mr. Reaves in his office yesterday morning and after having a better understanding of the presence of the colored man for the short time he was engaged, the men all returned to work yesterday afternoon.

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The A. D. T. Messengers will also call for telegrams for the Western Union Telegraph Co.; or for notes or small packages to be delivered anywhere in the city. No charge for the telegrams, and but a small charge for notes and small packages. For this service call Western Union, 'Phone 2. But for advertisements always call the Star Office, 'Phone 51.

STAR BRANCHES.

For the benefit of those who may find it more convenient, advertisements may be left at the following Branch Offices, where they will receive as prompt and careful attention as it left at the Star Office, and with no additional cost to the advertiser.

JAS. M. HALL'S DRUG STORE—Corner 5th and Castle streets. Phone 192.

BULLUCK'S DRUG STORE—313 North Front street. Phone 156.

W. C. MUNDS' DRUG STORE—Corner 7th and Orange streets. Phone 135.

I. B. SASSER'S DRUG STORE—Corner 8th and Market streets. Phone 135.

WM. NIESTLIE, DRUGGIST—S. W. Corner 7th and Red Cross streets. Phone 216.

SOUTH-SIDE DRUG COMPANY—Corner Front and Castle street. Phone 278.

P. O. HALL'S DRUG STORE—S. E. corner 4th and Harnett streets. Phone 66.

WANTED SEVERAL YOUNG LADIES to work in millinery workroom. State experience and what salary wanted. Address "Milliner," Box 502, Wilmington, N. C. sep 28-2t

WILL PAY FIVE CENTS A PIECE for empty Grocery Boxes delivered to Rothschilds & Co., Cor. Nutt and Red Cross Streets sep28-1t

HOW IS THIS FOR PRICES? BANANAS 10 and 15c Dozen. Apples 20c Peck. Lemons 20c Dozen. At Farrie's. sep27-2t

PIANO MOVING—WE HAVE EXPERIENCED draymen who will move your piano anywhere in the city or box and ship it for you. Stieff's, Cor. Front and Grace Streets. Phone 1103. sep27-tf

WE WISH TO ANNOUNCE TO OUR friends that our Cottage on Wrightsville Beach is still open for the accommodation of regular and transient guests. Mrs. W. H. Northrop. sep26-6t*

KEIFFER PEARS—TWO DOLLARS per barrel F. O. B. here. D. P. High, Whiteville, N. C. sep24-6t

WE HAVE FOR RENT DESIRABLE Houses centrally located; offices in Odd-Fellows' Building; Rooms for storage, sleeping apartments or office upstairs, and store on first floor of building just vacated by Atlantic Trust & Banking Co., on Princess street from October 1st. Apply to M. C. Darby & Co., 114 1-2 Princess street. sep24-tf

WE HAVE ONE OF THE TWO LOTS advertised yesterday on Chesnut between Fifth and Sixth streets. One left, size 33 feet on Chesnut by 66 feet deep; contains one-story cottage house. Fine Location; best apply at once to J. G. Wright & Son, Real Estate and Renting Agents. sep24-tf

WANTED — GENTLEMEN BOARDers. Apply 411 Red Cross. sep23-1w

COOTS AND OYSTERS AT THE Dixie Cafe; served in good style. sep 21-tf

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FLETCHER MUSIC METHOD (SIMplex and Kindergarten). Classes begin Monday, October 2nd. No pupils entered after October 15th. For information apply to Mrs. G. J. McMillan, Mrs. H. E. O'Keef. 209 Walnut streets. 'Phine 728. sep12-18t

DO YOU WANT BOARDERS; OR DO you want board? If so, advertise in this column of the Star. jy28-tf

WANTED CUSTOMERS FOR FINEST Butter and Cheese on the market. A full line of up-to-date Groceries and Country Produce. We give Southern Trading Stamps. S. F. Craig. 'Phone 547. sep12-tf

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